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ARTHURTON—July 4, 1935, at "Homedale," Coleshill Lane, Slough, to Jean (*nee* McMillan), wife of Robert I. D. Arthurton, B.Sc., a son.

KYRKE—July 2, 1935, at Fairfield Nursing Home, Belfast, to Kitta, wife of G. F. Kyrke, Silbert," Glen road, Craigavad, a daughter.

WALKER—June 27, 1935, at 14 Leeson Park, to Norah, wife of Maurice C. Walker, a son.

MARRIAGES.

GAMBLE and GIFFIN—June 27, 1935, at Newtownbreda Presbyterian Church, Belfast, by the Rev. W. R. Mezaw, B.A., M.R.I.A., Herbert W. Gamble, M.P.S., only son of the late Mr. David Gamble and Mrs. Gamble, "Colone," Rushfield avenue, Belfast, to Ethel Alexandra Giffin, elder daughter of the late Mr. John Giffin and Mrs. Giffin, 295 Ormeau road, Belfast.

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DEATHS.

CRONLY—July 4, 1935, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, John J., Dairygean, Offaly. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, sons, and daughter. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Philip Neri's Church, Dairygean, 3 o'clock (summer time), to-morrow (Saturday).

DOUGLAS—July 4, 1935, at Strathmore, Ballymun road, Dublin, Olive, beloved wife of Charles H. Douglas. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

DIXON—July 4, 1935, at Milverton, Temple road, Dublin, Jane, elder daughter of the late George and Rebecca Dixon, Dublin. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

EDWARDS—July 4, 1935, at her residence, Mav, widow of Arthur R. Edwards, 63 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin. Deeply regretted by her daughters. Funeral to Mount Jerome, 11 a.m., to-morrow (Saturday).

MOORE—July 3, 1935, at Faversham, Robert H. Moore, R.A., L.D.S., R.C.S. (Eng.), eldest son of the late Robert H. Moore, F.R.C.S.I., of Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

VALENTINE—July 3, 1935, at St. Ita's, Newtown Park avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin, Rebecca E., wife of the late John Valentine. Funeral (private), 10.15 a.m., to-day (Friday) to Nun's Cross.

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DUBLIN CATTLE PRICES

Average price, per cwt., live-weight, of fat cattle, fat sheep, and fat lambs in yesterday's Dublin Market:—

FAT CATTLE.

	4th July.	27th June.	20th June
Year.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1935	22 3	22 9	21 9
At corresponding dates in previous years:			
1934	21 3	21 3	21 3
1933	23 3	24 6	25 9
1920	100 3	95 6	95 6
1916	61 9	60 0	64 0
1914	35 9	36 6	36 6

FAT SHEEP.

	4th July.	27th June.	20th June.
Year.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1935	30 0	29 9	31 3
At corresponding dates in previous years:			
1934	30 9	30 9	35 9
1933	23 3	21 3	20 6
1920	96 0	101 6	96 6
1916	52 6	50 9	51 9
1914	34 0	33 3	36 9

FAT LAMBS.

	4th July.	27th June.	20th June.
Year.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1935	37 3	34 9	35 3
At corresponding dates in previous years:			
1934	37 0	38 6	41 3
1933	26 3	25 9	29 0
1920	89 6	81 6	88 0
1916	59 0	58 3	62 0
1914	40 9	41 6	39 9

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FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Dublin—Cattle steady on smaller supplies, improved prices for Sheep and Lambs, best classes Dairy Cattle in demand, Pigs healthier. York—Large show Irish Stores but trade slow. Merklands—Special sale Irish Stores at lower prices. London—Rubber steady, Wheat cargoes unchanged, Tin firmer, and Copper dearer.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN (METROPOLITAN).

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.		Corresponding weeks of 1933.	1934.
Beasts	1,884	decrease	587	1,787	2,117
Sheep and lambs...	5,943	decrease	3,190	6,287	8,635
Veal calves...	11	decrease	10	8	25

A substantial reduction in supplies here this week failed to reflect any corresponding activity or, indeed, any improvement in the trade; in fact, market developed no new feature from previous one. Prime handyweight beasts, which formed a minor percentage of the gathering, were steadily negotiated around last week's full terms; but there was a more dragging and irregular disposition shown when dealing with the plainer and commoner descriptions of animals. However, nothing with any pretensions to usefulness could be purchased at less money. There was a full attendance of home and export buyers, with trade in the latter direction tolerably satisfactory, but again many complaints were heard as to the small number of licences available. Prices, however, showed little, if any, change over the day's proceedings, but off-take, both for Germany and cross-Channel centres, showed a further shrinkage. Local victuallers were cautious bidders, but, with suitable beasts on the scarce side, prices were fairly well maintained, with heifers more easily cleared, at: Best bullocks and heifers, 20s. to 22s., extra around 23s. 6d. per cwt.; useful sorts, 18s. to 19s., and rougher, 16s. to 17s. Notwithstanding the big drop in numbers of beef cows for sale, trade proved most disappointing; there being practically no want locally, and, with less numbers taken for Germany, market proved a bad selling one, with large numbers turned out unsold at 7s. to 14s. per cwt., according to class.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Owing to dipping order, there was a large decrease in supplies here. Lambs proved a tolerably busy and firmer trade, with ordinary pens more readily placed at previous values; but for the better selections buyers were in keen competition, with a recovery of 1s. to 2s. per head on last week's drop. Choice handy-weights of butchers' wethers about as before quoted, but coarse and heavy mutton still dull and uneven. Fresh ewes still scarce and steady, but old neglected, notwithstanding the good value for money offered. Generally speaking, market showed more life for lambs at firm to dearer rates; otherwise, the smaller supplies to deal with just about saved the money situation. Prime mutton, 6½d. to 7d. per lb.; useful quality, 5½d. to 6d.; ewes, 4½d. to 5d.; and lambs, 14s. to 26s.; extra, 28s. to 30s. per head.

DAIRY CATTLE.

Nearly 270 exhibits of milch and springing cattle marketed here, few of which could be classed as of outstanding merit. There was a fair number of buyers about, but biddings were more erratic as compared with last week's experience. Otherwise there was no noticeable change, values working out on a similar basis after reckoning with the ups and downs of bargaining; but the small and doubtful cows proved in excess of requirements and failed to sell up. Best cows, £11 10s. to £14 per head; heifers, £12 to £14; useful sorts, £9 to £10, and smalls, etc., £7 to £8.

PIGS.

Following last week's disappointing market, senders were advised to curtail consignments, and numbers offered here this week were close on 330 less, total arrivals being 1,032 head. Sales opened to a fair attendance of buyers, with last week's lower rates more freely paid for all bacon hogs; but light-weight porkers showed no improvement—in fact, there appears to be little want in this direction, even at present reasonable prices. Sows of quality continue to be placed satisfactorily, but slips and bonhams neglected, most arrivals being returned to owners without a bid. Prime light-weight pigs, 42s. to 44s. per cwt.; medium, 48s. to 52s.; heavier, 42s. to 47s.; sows, 28s. to 32s.; slips and bonhams, 10s. to 22s. per head.

YORK.—Large show of Irish store cattle for time of year, but percentage of first-class animals was small. Trade slow, and late rates barely maintained. Highest price for best animals £16. No English stores. Small show calving and milch cows. Improvement in trade maintained, and best price was £21. Calving heifers made up to £13 10/-.

BRISTOL.—There were three hundred and twenty-six fresh Irish cattle and forty English. Short supply of beef, for which prices continued extremely low. Best made 64d. per lb. Very poor inquiry for store cattle to-day. Prices easier all round. Best three-year-olds to £16 apiece, two-year-olds £13 to £14, yearlings £9 to £10. All were not sold. Fair supply of milch cattle. Best made from £16 to £18 apiece, secondary sorts £13 to £15.

MERKLANDS.—Special sale Irish store cattle. Five hundred and twenty offered, and cheaper prices recorded, although some outstanding realised recent values. Heifers hard to cash. Top quality bullocks sold to £19 per head, current £13 to £16, but top figures not often made. Good quality stirks sold to £11, poorer animals fetching from £8 10/-. Market generally in buyers' favour.

BIRMINGHAM PIG.—Supplies continue fair and rather above requirements owing to the hot weather. Best bacons, however, a very steady trade, schedule rates ruling generally. Cutters a shade weaker, 10/6 to 11/-. Sows at the recent easement 7/- per score dead-weight, with quiet to moderate demand.

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" " 12 " ...	48/-	" "
" " 13 " ...	45/-	" "
" " 16 " ...	44/-	" "
Sows	22/-	

All subject to our terms of buying.—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT—The general tone of the cargo section remained dull, and United Kingdom millers continue somewhat indifferent. Prices were nominally unaltered, with the exception of Plate descriptions, which offered at 3d. per quarter decline in sympathy with lower overnight cables. The Mount Ossa, 7,000 tons Barusso, 63½lb. loading sold at 22/9 to the United States. No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Atlantic shipment) July sellers 30/6, No. 2 do. July 29/-; West Australian early July 26/6, South do. July 26/-, New South Wales July 25/6. Parcels inactive and easier, with offers more freely made. All grades declined by 3d. per quarter. No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Vancouver) July sellers 29/4½, No. 2 do. July 27/7½, No. 3 do. July 26/9, No. 4 Manitoba (Vancouver) July 25/7½, No. 5 do. July 23/5 per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f. terms. MAIZE cargoes dull and 3d. per quarter easier, following weaker Argentine options. Plate afloat also July and August sellers 15/9, September 15/10½. Parcels quiet and 1½d. per quarter easier. Plate afloat also July and August sellers 15/4½, September 15/6, October 15/6 per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f. Futures easier in sympathy with wheat and lower first hand offers. Quotations at 1.15 p.m., per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f., Plate June nominal, July 15/2½, August 15/3, September 15/3½, October 15/4. Sales:—July 15/3, September 15/4, October 15/4½. BARLEY slow, but Canadian qualities held for 3d. per quarter advance, but others unchanged. Parcels of Plate 64-65 kilos July sellers 24/6. No. 3 Canadian Western (Atlantic) July 17/-, Persian old crop July 14/6, new crop August-September 14/3, September-October 14/3, Russian July 15th-August 14/-, Danubian July-August also August-September 14/- per quarter of 400lb. c.i.f. OATS firm, and Canadian sorts ruled 41½d. per quarter dearer, with Plate unaltered. Parcels of No. 2 Canadian Western (Atlantic) 1st-16th July sellers 21/11½, No. 3 do. 1st-16th July 20/11½; No. 1 Canadian feed (Atlantic) 1st-16th July 19/11½, Plate f.a.q. quality 34-35lb. July 12/6 per quarter of 320lb. c.i.f.

LIVERPOOL.—The wheat market has been weak here under the influence of uncertainty regarding the Canadian Grain Bill and free offerings of French parcels, causing general loss of confidence and heavy pressure to sell in the afternoon. Argentine being additional bear factors, reports of serious drought in Western Australia being ignored. Forward delivery gradually gave way from the outset, with but slight interruption, and, though finishing at a moderate recovery from the worst point, mark a sensational drop from the previous night. C.i.f. parcels Rosario-Santa Fe 63¼ lb. August sold at 22/4½ per quarter. C.i.f. parcels River Plate maize 3d. lower. August sold at 15/3 per quarter. WHEAT on the spot dull and about 2d. lower. MAIZE—Spot parcels quiet at 3/8½ to 3/9 per cental for River Plate. FLOUR entirely neglected. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. to 2d. per cental lower, and continued to weaken, with moderate fluctuations, until 4¼d. to 4½d. decline had been registered, closing weak at 3¾d. to 5¾d. over the worst point, though 3¾d. to 4d. lower on the day. Values—July 4/9½, October 4/11, December 4/10⅞, March 4/11⅝ per cental Sales, 500 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental attracts little attention, and prices more or less nominal, holders being free sellers, and purchases can be made at considerable reductions from official quotations in some cases. The weekly revision in London made no change in Danish or Swedish. Danish 92/- to 100/-, Swedish or Dutch 88/- to 94/-, and Polish 86/- to 92/-, American bellies 60/- to 63/-. Canadian steady. Wiltshires 85/- to 87/-, Cumberlands 78/- to 82/-, and Irish scarce at 91/- to 96/- per cwt. HAMS quiet for American, but Canadian short cut raised 2/- to 98/- to 102/- per cwt. Shoulders scarce and nominal. LARD on the spot in only moderate request at unchanged prices. CHEESE steady, and some Canadian new coloured now on market at 52/- to 56/- per cwt. BUTTER partially 1/- to 2/- lower. Danish now 101/- to 106/-, Irish 82/- to 86/-, New Zealand finest 89/- to 93/-, and Swedish 90/- to 94/- per cwt. EGGS partially dearer. Irish Free State extra selected 9/2 selected 8/10, mediums 8/-, Northern special 10/6, standard 9/6, selected 8/6 per 120.

LONDON.—BACON—A quiet demand resulted, and Canadian, Polish, Latvian, Lithuanian, also Esthonian selections were reduced by 4/- per cwt., but Danish, Swedish, Dutch, Irish and English unchanged.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT.—Supplies to market, 1,942 tons, being 433 tons British and Irish produce and 1,509 tons imported. Steady demand for fresh beef; pork a slow trade. BEEF (national mark prices)—English long sides, select 4/8 to 5/-, do. prime 4/4 to 4/8, do. good 4/2 to 4/4. General prices (including national mark)—English long sides 4/2 to 5/-, do. hindquarters, forerib and flank 4/8 to 5/4. PORK—English, under 15st., 4/2 to 4/8; Irish, under 15st., 4/2 to 4/6.

CARDIFF.—There has been a moderate business passing in most sections, and, with supplies coming forward more freely, price movements where occurring are in a downward direction. Wholesale quotations delivered in Cardiff district:—BACON—Irish steady at 92/- to 97/-, and Danish 93/- to 101/- per cwt. HAMS easier, American 1/- to 2/- lower at 86/- to 93/- per cwt. BUTTER—Irish creameries 1/- easier at 85/- to 89/-, Danish steady at 103/- to 107/-, New Zealand 1/- lower at 91/- to 95/- per cwt. EGGS—Irish hen best 6d. to 3d. cheaper at 8/9 to 9/6 per 120. POULTRY—Chickens 9d. to 1/-, hens 6d. to 8d. per lb.

BRISTOL.—BACON—There was a fairly steady demand for the popular brands, but generally the inquiry was less brisk, and official prices of Canadian, Estonian, Latvian, Lithuanian and Polish show an all-round reduction of 4/- per cwt., whilst Irish, Danish, Dutch, and Swedish remained unchanged. HAMS were a firmer market, with short-cut about 2/- per cwt. higher on balance. LARD was a slow market, with American refined about 9d. per cwt. down. CHEESE—There was a quiet trade in Canadian and New Zealand at about previous rates. BUTTER—The demand has quietened down to some extent, but prices generally held steady.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Moderate supplies proved sufficient for requirements, there being a good clearance at steady rates—York cabbage 30/- to 65/- per large load, small 12/- to 38/-; cauliflowers 3/- to 5/- per dozen, seconds 1/- to 1/6; lettuce 2d. to 10d., rhubarb 1/- to 1/6, beet 2/- to 2/6, cucumbers 6/- to 7/-, radishes 4d. to 6d., turnips 4d. to 9d. per bunch, scallions 6d. to 1/-, onions 6d. to 9d., mint, thyme and sage 1d. to 2d.; parsley 6d. per tray, 2/- to 3/- per bag; gooseberries 1/6 to 2/6 per chip, and strawberries 6d. to 10d. per punnet.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Fair supplies, with demand steady at previous values. Best table lots 7/- to 8/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—Improved supplies included 200 boxes of mixed catch from two steam trawlers, 75 packages of salmon, 20 chests of lobsters, 60 boxes of herrings, 40 boxes of mackerel, and a fair amount from country and local senders. Demand fair at:—Salmon 10d. to 1/1 per lb., grilse 8d. to 9d., large lobsters 12/- to 15/- per 15, medium 8/- to 10/-, small 4/- to 6/-; large soles 17/6 to 25/- per 9 pairs, medium 12/- to 15/-, slips 4/- to 6/-; turbot 1/- to 8/- each, brill 6d. to 3/-, herrings 15/- to 30/- per box, mackerel 12/- to 25/-, plaice 20/- to 60/- per half-box, cod 20/- to 50/-, whiting 5/- to 40/-, ling 12/- to 15/-, ray 10/- to 15/-, hake 30/- to 65/-, pollock 12/- to 20/-, conger eels 3/- to 10/-, gurnard 3/- to 6/-, and white soles 20/- to 50/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Salmon: English 14d. to 15d., Scotch 15d. to 17d., Irish 13d. to 14d., soles 12d. to 16d., slips 10d. to 14d. per lb.; live eels 12/- to 25/-, dead 9/- to 20/-, draught; turbot 5/- to 6/-, brill 6/- to 9/-, plaice 8/- to 10/-, halibut 8/- to 15/-, lemon soles 9/- to 11/-, cod 4/- to 6/6, whiting 2/- to 4/-, hake 7/- to 8/6 per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—British makes slow, unaltered. Foreign 96 per cent. raws July to the U.K. quoted 4/6 c.i.f. Terminal quiet. August sold 4/6½, 4/5½ to 4/6, December 4/6 to 4/5¾, May 4/9½ per cwt. COFFEE—Business on spot small and mainly confined to cheaper qualities. COCOA—Market dull, unaltered. SPICE—Pepper remains dull. Lampong black spot 2¼d., August-October 2¼d. per lb. c.i.f. Cloves firm, quiet. Sago flour, steadier at 7/10½ per cwt. c.i.f. TEA—In auction, 9,382 packages Java and Sumatra were catalogued, and evidenced strong competition, prices generally being ¼d. per lb. higher. Tippy teas, however, ruled barely steady, buyers doubtless adopting more reserve with regard to these particular grades, in view of new season's Assam to come along, which bid fair to be more than usually attractive. Pekoe sold 7¾d. to 9¼d., broken do. 8d. to 11¼d., orange 8¾d. to 2/11½, finest 3/0¾, superior 4/5½, broken orange 8¾d to 2/7, finest 3/0¾, superior 4/5½, Fannings from 8d. to 1/4½ per lb. RUBBER steady. Sheet spot sold 5¼d., July 5¾d., August 6d., October-December 6⅛d., January-March 6⅜d., April-June 6⅝d. per lb. HEMP—Manila very firm, with offers from the Philippines couched in higher terms, and business somewhat shackled thereby. JUTE—August-October sold £15 15/-, 12 £13 5/-, K buyers £14 5/-, M1 £13 5/- c.i.f. SISAL reservedly offered and firm. No. 1 African August-October sold £17, October-December £17 10/-. No. 2 August-October £16 5/-, No. 3 £16 5/- c.i.f. JUTE market quiet, but prices disclosed little or no change. Firsts June-July sellers £19 2/6. July-August sold £19 3/9, and sellers do. to Dunkirk sold £19 5/-. August-September usual ports sellers £19 6/3, new crop August-September sold £20 1/3, closing buyers £20, Lightnings June-July to August-September sold £17 10/- and sellers, new sellers £18 15/-. Hearts July-August £15 2/6. Daisee £17 17/6, Tossa £18 17/6 c.i.f. Hessians and twills dull. SHELLAC—Market dull. TIN, spot 60/- to 55/-, August 49/6, July-August c.i.f. 57/6.

OILS—Linseed dull. Spot lots sellers 23/-. July, also August, 20/4½, September-December 20/1½, January-April 20/4½. Rape dull. Crude spot 32/-, refined 33/6. Cotton quiet. Crude Egyptian naked spot 23/6, common edible 26/6, deodorised barrels 31/-. Soya steady. English crude naked spot 22/6, deodorised barrels 28/6. Coconut quiet. Ceylon dull. Drums spot 22/6, July, also August, 19/6, white do. 19/7½. Copra—Crude spot 22/6, English deodorised barrels 28/-, Groundnut dull. English crude naked spot 32/-, deodorised barrels 38/-. Turpentine easier. American spot 41/9. Rosin quiet. American Grade B 10/1½, F/G 12/- per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed dull and tendency easier. Plate to Hull July to October sellers 29 2/6, Calcutta to London July to September £11 10/-, Bombay to London July, also August, £11 15/-. Rapeseed quiet. Toria July, also August, £13. Cottonseed steady. Egyptian black to Hull afloat 26 11/3, July 26 12/6, August 26 13/9, new September 26 5/-, October 26 1/3, November 26, white July-August nominally 10/- less. Groundnuts depressed. Coromandel July £13 2/6, August, also September £13, October £12 18/9, new December-January £11 7/6. Soya beans quiet. Manchurian to Continent July, also August, 25 12/6, to Hull July 25 13/9. Castorseed quiet. Bombay July, also August, £11 15/-, Calcutta July £11 12/6 per ton c.i.f.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR quiet, and raws basis 96 deg pol. July-August shipments offering at 4/6½ per cwt. c.i.f. U.K. Refined descriptions—Messrs. MacFie and Sons, Ltd., quotations are reduced 1½d. per cwt. all round, while the quotations of the other refiners remain unaltered. Tate and Lyle quotations:—Crystals, ones, 20/4½; granulated, standard, 18/-; yellows, thirds, 16/9, ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ per cent discount. COCOA—West African spot offerings light, and steadily held. Forward shipments unchanged. Sellers new crop good fermented Accra October-December and November-January 21/9, buyers 6d less; and sellers Lagos f.a.q. for the same shipments new crop 21/3, buyers 21/—all per 50 kilos c.i.f. Continent. JAPANESE PEAS—Store parcels continue at £13 10/- to £13 15/-, and July-August shipments £11 15/6 to £11 15/- per ton c.i.f. RICE BRAN steady for Burmah July-August shipments at 80/- per ton ex ship terms. OIL CAKES—Imported descriptions for forward arrival positions in quiet request. American Linseed continue at £6 12/6, River Plate £6 5/-, and Indian expeller £6 10/—all c.i.f. July-August shipments. Egyptian undecorticated Cottonseed quoted £3 12/6 ex ship terms July-August. PALM KERNELS again on the easy side. Sellers July-August and August-September shipments £8 5/9, and buyers 2/6 per ton less. Later 1/3 easier. TALLOW quiet, with South American beefs forward shipments quoted 26/6 c.i.f. Australian good colour mixed forward arrivals remain at 27/- to 28/- per cwt. c.i.f.

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN FIRMER—COPPER DEARER.

TIN—Market very quiet, but values ruled firmer on reserved offers. On balance official quotations were 10/- per ton dearer for cash, but 10/- to 12/6 lower forward. Standard, cash, quoted £230 15/- to £231, three months £225 to £225 5/-, settlement £230 15/-; 150 tons changed hands, cash at £230 10/- to £230 15/-, three months £225 10/- to £225 and £225 5/- English ingots quoted £230 15/- Business was reported in the East at £230 11/3, c.i.f. COPPER firmer, while a steady demand prevailed. Official quotations marked an advance of 1/3 per ton for cash and 2/6 forward on balance. Standard, cash, quoted £30 8/9 to £30 10/-, three months £30 17/6 to £30 18/9, settlement £30 10/- Sales amounted to 1,400 tons, cash at £30 7/6 to £30 10/-, three months £30 12/6, £31, and £30 17/6; electros, £33 15/- to £34 5/-; wire bars, £34 5/- LEAD quiet and barely steady; 250 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, July £13 13/9, August £13 15/-, October £13 16/3 to £13 15/-, settlement £13 15/-; English quoted £15 15/- SPELTER dull and easier; 75 tons sold; August £13 17/6, September £14, October £13 18/9, settlement £13 15/- SILVER idle. Cash quoted 35¼d. to 33⅝d., three months 35⅛d. to 34⅛d., settlement 33¾d. per fine ounce. ANTIMONY quiet; English regulus, spot, £77 to £78; Chinese ditto, spot, £71 to £72; July-August, £46 10/-; crude ditto, £25 10/- per ton, c.i.f. Antimony Oxide, 98 per cent., July-August, £36 10/- per ton, c.i.f. Antimony Ore, 60 per cent., July-August, 5/6; 50 per cent. ditto, 4/9 per unit, c.i.f. WOLFRAM steady, firmer tendency; Chinese, spot, 31/- to 32/-; July-August, 30/- to 31/- per unit, c.i.f. QUICKSILVER unaltered.

SECOND SESSION—Tin dull and easier. Cash, buyers £230 5/-; three months sold at £224 10/-, closing buyers £224 5/- Copper easier; 400 tons sold cash at £30 5/-, closing buyers £30 3/9; three months sold at £30 5/- to £30 15/-, closing buyers £30 12/6 Lead idle and nominally unaltered. Spelter lower; 50 tons sold. October £13 17/6. Silver idle. Cash, sellers 33¼d., buyers 33⅛d., three months, sellers 34d., buyers 33¾d. per fine ounce.

STORE CATTLE SALES

MESSRS. GANLY AND SON.

Numbers forward for Messrs. Ganly and Son's auction yesterday were again large for this time of the season, and comprised a good show of nice quality bullocks and heifers, of the different classes from one to three years old. With a steady demand from a good attendance of home and cross Channel buyers, a complete clearance was effected The top live-weight quotation of the sale—25/6 per cwt.—was obtained for a pen of choice quality Aberdeen-Angus heifers, the property of Mr. Peter Byrne. Other good lots of Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford cross heifers sold at from 21/- to 22/6 per cwt., with some extra good lots with licences making 23/6 and 24/- per cwt. Best lots of Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford cross bullocks made from 21/- to 22/6, with a few extra fancy lots making up to 24/6 per cwt. Useful and secondary lots made from 17/6 to 19/- per cwt. Horned and polly bullocks, best lots made from 19/- to 21/- per cwt., other lots 16/- to 17/6 per cwt. Horned heifers made from 18/- to 22/- per cwt.

MESSRS. GAVIN LOW, LTD.

The number of cattle shown at Messrs. Gavin Low's (Ltd.) store cattle sale yesterday was again large, and comprised some lots of good Aberdeen-Angus bullocks and heifers. An abundance of keep on pastures brought together a large company of buyers, and a steady trade prevailed for all useful lots at around last week's rates. There was little or no change, however, in prices of thin and secondary sorts, but a good clearance was made. Quotations: Aberdeen-Angus and shorthorn pollies made from 16/- to 24/- per cwt., and horned bullocks and heifers from 14/- to 21/-.

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at the price you can pay—£155 delivered Dublin—that's the Morris 5 cwt. Van value. A Morris 5 cwt. will speed up your deliveries and smarten up your business. It has easily the lowest upkeep costs in its class, and gives the highest standard of performance. See it. Test it. Buy it. Budget Plan terms extended.
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1933 8 H.P. FORDOR FORD SALOON, mileage 15,000; condition as new £105

1929 MORRIS OXFORD DE LUXE SALOON, special body ..... £ 70

1929 MORRIS COWLEY TWO-SEATER £ 50

DEFERRED PAYMENTS ARRANGED.
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1934 TERRAPLANE SALOON, Leather upholstery, taxed to end of year, little used, condition as new, £250.

SMITHFIELD MOTOR CO., LTD. 'Phone 22321/2/3. 3 F

A MORRIS Minor Saloon, taxed end of year, perfect; £65 or nearest.—4 Eaton place, Monkstown. 1 E

AUSTIN 10 de Luxe late 1932 Sunshine Saloon, owner driven, condition perfect, taxed December, £155 or near offer.—T 429, this office. 3 A

AN exceptional genuine bargain—Morris 8 h.p. (September, 1933) De Luxe Sunshine Saloon; small mileage, one private owner driver; all original tyres, paintwork, etc.; insurance paid October; price reasonable. Seen any time after 3 o'clock, 19 Eaton road, Terenure. 3 E

AN unrivalled selection of thoroughly trustworthy and road-worthy used Morris Cars and others awaits your inspection at Portobello; prices from £20 to £200; Budget Plan terms extended.—G. A. Brittain, Ltd., Portobello, Dublin.

BRITISH built - Hillman Minx," uncrated; only done 5,000 miles; best offer.—T 491, this office. 4 B

CARS for Hire to "Drive Yourself," or with chauffeurs, by the day, week or month, at moderate rates.—Andrew J. Doyle, F.I.M.T., 51 South King street, Dublin. 2 E

FIAT 10-30 h.p. Saloon, 1930 model, completely overhauled, in splendid condition, £85.—Andrew J. Doyle, F.I.M.T., 51 South King street, Dublin. 2 E

FOR Sale, Standard Big 9 Sunshine Saloon, perfect order; £75 cash.—T 346, this office. 2 F

FOR Sale, Secondhand Saloons: 1 Armstrong Siddeley, Graham-Paige, 2 Overland, 1 Austin, and 1 Plymouth. Tourers: 1 Austin, 2 Morris and 1 Ford; inspection in Dublin. Address "Z 3540, this office.

M. G. Midget, 1931, very good condition.—Chas. Warren and Co., 4 Crown Alley, Dublin. 2 F

RENAULT 13 h.p. Saloon, 1929 model, taxed to the end of the year, exceptional appearance and condition, £40.—Andrew J. Doyle, F.I.M.T., 51 South King street, Dublin. 2 E

RENAULT Saloon, 14 h.p., 1931 model, registered 1932, perfect order and condition; price £85.—8 Kenilworth square, Rathgar. 3 A

READY for the road, in good mechanical order, 11 h.p. Tourer, bargain; owner bought saloon; particulars on request; what offers? Address "Z 3542, Clyno," this office. 4 F

SECONDHAND Cars and Commercial Vehicles, large selection and keen prices, cash or easy terms. Interview us first.—Doyle's Motors, Ltd., 18 Bachelor's Walk. T

SWIFT 10 h.p. Saloon, 1929 model, in splendid condition, £50.—Andrew J. Doyle, F.I.M.T., 51 South King street, Dublin. 2 E

STANDARD 9 Sunshine Saloon, absolutely perfect condition, small mileage, £125. 'Phone 51001. Johnson, 23 Great Ship street, Dublin. 4 B

THE World's Greatest Transport—passenger or commercial—is FORD.—R. W. Archer and Co., Ford Main Dealers, 65 Lower Mount street, Dublin. T

14.9 FORD Saloon, Tudor, late 1933, £95; 1933 Tudor Ford, £50; Austin 7 De Luxe Saloon, 1932, £90; Morris Cowley Saloon, 1929/30, £40; Armstrong Siddeley 14 h.p., £45. Higgins, Garage, Galway. 3 A

1931 Challenger Coupé, black and cream, £25; 1931 Essex Saloon, £75; 1933 Terraplane Saloon, £195; 1931 Hillman 14.9 Saloon, £110; 1934 English Coachbuilt Terraplane Sports Saloon, low mileage, as new, £260; 1930 De Soto Saloon, 21.6, £85. Seen at F. J. Tracy, Ltd., 118 Stephen's Green, Dublin. 4 B

FORD Lorry, 2 ton, long wheel base, twin wheels rear, 1931, £55; 30 cwt. Ford Lorry, £45; 12 cwt. Ford Van, £60; another £40.—Higgins, Garage, Galway. 3 A

PARAVANS

A TRAILER Caravan for Hire, fifty shillings weekly. Chambers, Oldcastle, Meath. 3 A

CARAVANS, Motor Trailers for Hire. 3 and 4 berth, fully equipped.—Hannigan, Garage, Chabel. 23 14

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MOTOR CYCLES.

B.S.A. Motor Cycles and Sidecars, from £39 0s. 0d. cash, or by easy payments; assembled in Dublin; prices substantially reduced; low insurance premiums arranged; catalogue free.—Erne Motor Co., Lower Erne street, Lower Pearse street. 16 X

1934 BIG Four Norton, MagDyno lighting, taxed, condition and appearance as new; £40.—Kelly's, Bachelor's Walk. 4 B

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ALLWAYES for all Tyre, Tube Repairs—Vulcanising, only sure and safe remedy, a speciality; expert workmanship; moderate charges.—80 Fitzwilliam lane; phone 52230. 1 M

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WANTED, Drives, private motor car; state terms.—12 St. Kevin's Gardens, Dartry road. 1 E

WANTED, Austin 12.4 or 16 h.p. Saloon, 1930-31. Address "Z 3515, Austin," this office. 2 E

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1932 RILEY 9 Saloon, exceptionally fine condition. Can be seen at Doyle's Auto Service, Ltd., Harcourt street. 3 F

1929 FORD 14.9 h.p. 4-Door Saloon, £45.—Huet Motors.

1934 TRIUMPH Gloria 14 h.p. De Luxe Saloon, superlative appearance and order; written guarantee; £295.—Huet Motors.

1931 ESSEX 18.3 h.p. 4-Door Saloon, one private owner, excellent; written guarantee; £80.—Huet Motors, Ltd., Lower Main street, Dublin.

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ECHOES OF THE TOWN

The New U.S. Minister : A Poet's Daughter : Garden Parties : Flower Competitions

BY KITTY CLIVE.

DUBLINERS all are anxious to welcome the new United States Minister and Mrs. Owsley, and since their arrival there have been many callers at the Phœnix Park. The Minister and Mrs. Owsley have also been busy making official calls and seeing their colleagues. On Saturday afternoon last Mrs. Owsley had tea with Mrs. de Valera at Bellevue, Blackrock. She was accompanied by Mrs. Denby, United States Legation. Mrs. Owsley, who is a tall, blonde, gracious American from the Western States, is charmed with her new home, and is making many changes to suit the needs of the family.

Both the Minister and his wife are delighted with the residence in the Phœnix Park, and the grounds and gardens are looking their best just now. Mrs. Owsley is having a tennis court made, and this will be appreciated by her friends as well as her children. The three children of the Minister have had a great time since their coming to Ireland. The Minister has purchased a pony and trap; for they all like driving. Alvin, junior, who is rapidly making friends, is anxious to ride, and must have a horse.

MRS. OWSLEY.

Although he appears much older, he is but nine, and advanced for his years. He is quite a little man, and is deeply interested in his new surroundings and a bright, intelligent talker. The children had a lovely time the other day at the Alexandra School sports, to which they were invited by Miss Sylvia Balch, the little daughter of the American Consul-General and Mrs. Balch. They were enthusiastic when Sylvia won two second prizes, although they would have wished that she had secured first.

Independence Day

There was no public reception at the American Legation yesterday, as the official dinner of the Government to the Minister does not take place until to-morrow at Dubl

Financial News & Notes

DUBLIN IRREGULAR

GUINNESS DULL

THIRD NATIONAL LOAN STRONG

Trading on the Dublin Stock Exchange was of moderate dimensions yesterday, but local issues were well maintained, and even inclined higher in places, but big Industrials were dull.

The Funds held steady, apart from the Third National Loan, which jumped two points on good support.

Banks, too, were in request, and Bank of Ireland Stock rose a further point.

There was heavy selling of Guinness units, which finished 1s. 1½d. lower on the day.

B. and I. Steam Preference on fresh support advanced to 20s. 9d.

Home Rails were very quiet. Dublin Tram "B" Debenture lost a point, and Alliance Gas Ordinary eased the turn.

The recent inquiry for Johnston Mooney Ordinary resulted in a rise of 1s.

Local Industrials were fairly busy at mostly unchanged levels.

B.A.T. Ordinary eased to 120s. 9d., and Courtaulds shaded off, while Coats Ordinary relapsed to 60s. 3d. Dunlop Rubbers and Ford Motors shed pence, but Imperial Chemicals moved up to 35s. 10½d.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Thursday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London dull.

Dublin irregular.

Manchester Textiles firm.

Birmingham Motors easier.

New York closed.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	2	p.c.
Last Year	2	p.c.
Irish Banks' Rate	3	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	½	p.c
London Three Months' Bills	⅞–¾	p.c.
Price of Gold	140/11	
Silver (spot)	31d.	

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET

MODERATELY STEADY TONE:

GUINNESS EASIER

While end-account considerations tended to ward off buyers, a moderately steady tone was maintained in the Industrial Market yesterday. As a result of firmer overnight advices from New York trans-Atlantic counters displayed a better tendency. A fair inquiry was again in evidence for Cable and Wireless issues, and International Automatic Telephones were another bright spot. Rather less interest was displayed in Electrical Equipments and price changes were of little importance.

Business in Electric Supply shares was small and an irregular tendency developed. Following the sharp rise on Wednesday Victoria Falls reacted ⅄.

An uncertain trend was apparent in the Iron and Steel section, and end-account influences prevailing.

Among the Aviation and kindred descriptions Hawkers continued to receive attention.

LEYLANDS IN DEMAND.

In the Motor group, shares of companies manufacturing heavy vehicles received the bulk of attention. Leylands came into renewed demand and A.E.C. hardened. Fords were rather easier

Textiles generally were again inclined to be on the quiet side, but a rather better tone was seen in Patons and Baldwins, which rallied.

Rayons were rather neglected, and little change took place. Courtaulds responded to a little support, and British Celanese gained further ground.

In the Stores section Harrods "B.A." continued to enjoy good inquiry.

Among Provision and Catering descriptions Lovell and Christmas were easier. The two Unilevers, however, were a shade harder.

PROFIT-TAKING IN BREWERIES.

Breweries encountered a fair amount of profit-taking, but prices were generally steady. Guinness were rather offered, and lost 1s. Watney Defd. and Courage sagged.

Tobaccos made a somewhat irregular showing. Gallahers came on offer, and lost ½.

The Miscellaneous section generally made a rather mixed showing, but several bright spots were seen. British Oxygen finished better, but the Chemical issues were inclined to be dull. The Building group was quiet, and, on the whole, easier. Triplex were the turn lower, and Dunlops slipped back further. Greyhound Racing shares were still under the influence of the re-introduction of the "tote," and went further ahead.

OILS INACTIVE

Oil shares remained inactive yesterday, holiday influences still prevailing, and, owing to paucity of demand, prices mostly closed slightly easier. Generally losses were small, and resulted mainly from a lowering of prices by dealers, as a precautionary measure against possible sales by tired holders. In no case was any real selling pressure encountered. Continental business was of little importance, although no sales were reported, but, on the contrary, small buying orders were received for Royal Dutch and Shells. The Eagle issues, however, were neglected.

RUBBERS QUIET

The volume of transactions in the Rubber Share market yesterday was again small, and, although a few issues received support following recent declines, movements generally were again adverse. F.M.S. recovered to 29s. 9d., a rise of 4½d., and Anglo-Dutch added a fraction, but Kuala Lumpur dropped 7½d. to 25s. 7½d., while other losses included 6d. to 26s. 9d. in Tandjong Malim. There was little expansion in trading in the Commodity section, but the tendency was steadier, spot rubber selling at 5½d. per lb.

VALUE OF THE £

	Thursday.	Wednesday.	Parity.	Per Cent. of
New York	4.94 ⅄	4.94 ⅄		101.6
Montreal	4.95⅛	4.95¾		101.9
Amsterdam	7.26½	7.24½		60.0
Berlin	12.26	12.22		60.0
Brussels	29.29	29.21		83.7
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40		123.4
Geneva	15.11½	15.06½		60.0
Milan	59¾	59 ⅄		64.7
Oslo	19.97½	19.90½		109.6
Paris	74¾	74½		60.2
Stockholm	19.39½	19.39½		106.8
Kobe	14½d.	14½d.		174.1

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

Yesterday's Bank of England return reflecting the exceptional requirements of the end of the past half-year, shows a further expansion of over £4,500,000 in the active note circulation, and a corresponding shrinkage in the reserve.

Public deposits, owing to the Government interest disbursements, are £6,534,086 down at £9,629,330, and Government Securities are £2,010,000 up at £98,196,044. There is an increase in other deposits, which represents the resources of the market, of £7,375,267 at £148,491,176; but, on the other hand, other securities are £5,446,649 higher at £26,037,530 owing to borrowing by the market.

The total gold stock shows a reduction of £58,532 at £193,263,925, and the note circulation an increase of £4,511,260 at £401,370,971. Consequently the reserve, as compared with a week ago, is down by £4,569,801 at £51,892,954, and the proportion of reserve to liabilities has shrunk by 3.08 per cent. to 32.81 per cent.

The Bankers' Clearing House return for the week ended July 3rd amounted to £1,008,284,000, as compared with £835,561,000 in the corresponding week of last year, an increase of £172,723,000.

RUBBER CROPS FOR JUNE

Bantam, 92,300lb.; Bernam Perak, 53,100 (49,200); Bertam Consolidated, 199,564; Caledonian, 16,285 (21,865); Cicely, 140,800 (133,800); Johore River, 55,000 (52,000); Krubong, 11,900 (15,000); Langkapoera, 46,800; Layang, 74,000 (70,000); Lendu, 45,500 (38,500); Maroda Consolidated, 18,750; Perak, 50,000 (56,000); Rembia, 45,700; Rubber Estate Malay, 152,000; Sungei Matang, 42,500 (41,000).

(Figures for June, 1934, are given in parentheses).

LONDON "STREET" MARKET

With Wall Street closed in celebration of "Independence Day," there were no dealings in Shorter's Court last evening. Business elsewhere was negligible, but in the Mining section Commonwealth met with some inquiry, and hardened 3d. to 13s. 9d., the options closing 1½d. higher at 7s. 3d.

THE MONEY MARKET

FALL IN GOLD

The price of gold yesterday quoted 7d. lower at 140s. 11d. per fine ounce. This included a premium of 5½d. over the dollar at 4.94⅝ and 4d. over the franc at 74¾. About £483,000 was disposed of in the market.

Silver was unchanged at 31d. per ounce for spot, and 31⅛d. for forward delivery.

Short loans were in slightly better demand at ½ per cent., while bill rates were unchanged. Most houses quoted ⅞ to ¾ per cent. for fine three months' bills, and ⅞ per cent. for the new Treasuries.

Bank Rate Discount (changed June 30, 1932), 2%

60 days (fine)	9/16	5/8 %	
3 months	9/16	5/8 %	Trade ..... 2 2½ %
4		5/8 %	" ..... 2¼ 2½ %
6		11/16 ¾ %	" ..... 2½ 3 %
Loans to Brokers			½ %
Day-to-day for a week			½ %
Deposit Allowances: Banks at Call			½ %
Discount Houses at Call			½ %
at Notice			¾ %

A further moderate amount was repaid to the Bank yesterday.

More active conditions prevailed in the Foreign Exchange market yesterday, though the volume of business was not much larger than on the preceding day. The feature of the market was the marked weakness of the French franc, measured in terms, not only of sterling, but also in relation to the American dollar. The franc was offered in a quiet market at the outset and weakened quickly. The announcement of a further reduction in the French Bank rate during the morning failed to bring about a recovery, the franc eventually closing almost at its weakest point of the day. The increase in nervousness towards the position of the currency brought a renewal of "bear" speculation in the forward market, and discounts were increased sharply.

Centre	July 4 Closing Rates	July 3 Closing Rates	Parity before 20/9/31
New York	4.94⅛	4.94	4.86⅛
Montreal	4.95¼	4.95	4.86¼
Amsterdam	7.26	7.24	12.10
Berlin	12.25	12.21	20.43
Brussels	29.28	29.20	36.02
Copenhagen	22.38	22.32	18.15
Geneva	15.11	15.06	25.22
Madrid	36	35⅞	25.22
Milan	59¾	59½	92.46
Oslo	19.98	19.93	18.15
Paris	74¾	74½	124.21
Stockholm	19.37	19.42	18.15
Alexandria	97⅛	97⅜	97.5
Athens	515	sellers 514	sellers 97.5
Helsingfors	29⅛	22⅞	229.4 193.2
Lisbon	109⅝	110¼	109⅜ 110
Prague	119¼	118⅝	117¾ 119 164.25
Vienna	25⅛	27¼	25¼ 27¼ 34.58
Warsaw	26⅛	26¼	25⅝ 26⅛ 43.38
B. Ayres	18.60	18.60	18.60 18.90 47.37
Lima 90 dys	20.75 nom		20.75 nom 17.38
Mexico	17.25	18.25	17.25 18.25 9.76
Mvideo	19¼	19¾	19¼ 19¾ 51⅛
Rio de Jan.	2⅝	2⅛	2⅛ 2⅜ 5.89
Valparaiso	18 nom		18 nom 408
Calcutta	18⅜	18⅝	18⅜ 18⅝ 18
Hongkong	26⅛	27	26¼ 27 24
Kobe (p.yn)	14⅝	14⅝	14⅜ 14⅝
Shanghai	19	19⅛	19 19⅛ —
Singapore	27⅞	28	27⅞ 28⅛ 23

*Rate quoted in London.

INSURANCE SHARES

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 27⅜; Atlas, 15⅛; Commercial Union, 10⅝, ¾, ⅝; Eagle Star Ord., 20⅝, ½, ⅝, ¾; Guardian, 14⅝; London and Lancashire Fire, 33⅝, ⅜; London Assurance, 15⅜, ⅝, ½; North British and Mercantile, 47⅜, ½, ⅜, ⅝; Northern, 20½; Phœnix, 15⅜; ditto £1 (fully paid), 16½, ⅝, 17⅛; Prudential, 36⅛; ditto "B" £1 (4/- paid), 107/-; Royal Exchange, 10⅜, ⅝, £10 8/-; Royal Insurance, 81⅛, ½, ⅜; Sun Insurance, 95/6, 6/9.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, 15; Commercial Union, 10¼, ⅜; Ed. le Star and British Dominions, 21; General Accident, Fire, and Life, 23½; Guardian, 14⅞, ½; North British and Mercantile, 47, ½; Prudential "B," 107/4½, /6; Royal, 81, 17/-; Sea, 100/4½, /6; Sun Office, 95/-; World Auxiliary, 32/9½; Yorkshire, 84.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.	Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	88	86⅞ — 5/8
Do. 4 %	113¼	113⅝ — ⅛
3½% War Loan	106⅝	106⅞ — 1/16
Funding Loan	118¼	118⅜ .....
Victory Bonds	116⅝	117⅛ .....
5% Conversion Loan	103⅞	104⅛ — ⅛
3½% Conversion Loan	90⅝	90⅝ — 1/16
4½% Conversion Loan	112⅛	112¼ .....
5% Conversion Loan	121 15/16	122 1/16 — 1/16
3½% Irish Land Stock 1963	87½	88½ .....
Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds	100	100 .....
India 3%	86	87 — ½
Do. 3½%	98	99 — ½
Do. 4½%	113	114 .....
Do. 5½%	104 11/16	104 15/16 — ⅛
Local Loans	90⅝	90⅞ — ⅛
Sudan 5½%	114	116 .....

PUBLIC BOARDS AND STOCKS.

Cent. El. Rd. 4% 1939-89	106	108* .....
Do. 3% 1930-70	113½	117½ .....
Do. 4½% 1951-73	113	117 .....
Do. 3% 1933-73	112½	116½ .....
Do. 4½% 1937-87	113½	116½ .....
Metro. Water 3 p.c. (a)	98	101 .....

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Australian Com. 3 p.c. 1945-75	109¾	110¼ .....
Do. do. 4 p.c. 1945-65	103	105 .....
Do. do. 3½ p.c. 1946-53	102	104 .....
Canada 4 p.c. 1940-60	104	106 .....
Do. 4 p.c. 1953-58	112	114 .....
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	101	103 .....
Ceylon 4 p.c.	103	105 .....
N.S.W. 5 p.c. 1945-65	108½	110 .....
Do. 4 p.c. 1942-62	101	103 .....
Do. 4½ p.c. 1938-45	100	101 .....
New Zealand 6 p.c. 1936-51	105	107 .....
Do. 5½ p.c. 1945-54	102	104 .....
Nigeria 6 p.c.	128	130 .....
Queensland 5 p.c. 1940-60	107½	107⅝ + ⅛
South Africa 4 p.c. 1943-63	110⅝	110⅞ .....
Do. 5 p.c. 1945-75	115	117 .....
South Australia 5 p.c. 1945-75	109½	109⅝ .....
Do. 4 p.c. 1940-60	100	102 .....
Victoria 4 p.c. 1940-60	100	102 .....
Do. 5 p.c. 1945-75	108¼	108⅝ .....
Do. 4 p.c. 1942-62	100	102 .....

BANKS.

Anglo-South American (£10) £5 paid	5¼	5 ⅛ .....
Bank of Australasia	8½	8¾ .....
Bank of England	367	372 .....
Bank of Montreal	35⅞	36⅛ .....
Bank of New South Wales	23½	24⅛ .....
Bank of New Zealand	2 1/16	2 3/16 .....
Barclay's "A" Shares	10½	11 .....
British Overseas	4	4½ .....
Canadian Imperial Comm.	29	30 .....
Chartered of India	14½	14⅝ — ⅛
Hong Kong and Shanghai	122	126 .....
Lloyds	61⅜	62⅜ .....
London and S. American	4	4½ .....
Martins, £20 (£10 paid)	30½	32½ .....
Midland	10½	10⅝ .....
National Discount "B"	12⅝	13⅛ .....
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	14⅞	15⅜ .....
Ottoman	29	31 .....
Standard of South Africa	15	15½ — ⅛
Union of Australia	6¼	6½ .....
Westminster Bank (£1)	92/6	94/6 .....

FOREIGN BONDS.

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101½	Argentine 4 p.c. Reach	99⅛	100¼* .....
—	Austrian 3 p.c. Guar. Sterling Bonds	102	104* .....
101	Belgian 3 p.c.	100	102 .....
27	Brazil 6s p.c. S. Bds. 27	24½	25¾ + ¼
88½	Do. 5 p.c. Funding	86½	87⅜ + ¼
65¼	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	64⅜	65¾ + ¾
102	Chinese 4½ p.c. 1898	101½	102½ .....
82½	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	79½	80½ — ½
94¼	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	91	94* .....
89½	Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gld	98½	100½ .....
89½	Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c.	78	82 .....
30	Do. Tientsin - Pukow 5 p.c.	26	31 .....
108½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	107	108 .....
107½	Egyptian Unified	107½	108½ .....
27	French Loan 4 p.c.	25½	34 + ½
67	Georgan 7 p.c.	62¼	62¾ + ½
45⅝	Do. 5½ p.c. Conversion	44¼	45 + ⅛
—	Do. Potash 7 p.c.	69	70 .....
41	Greek 7 p.c. 1924	41	43 .....
34½	Do. 6 p.c. Stabs.	33	38 .....
30	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	28	33 .....
1⅛	Italian Rentes	28	31* .....
85¾	Japan 6 p.c., 1924	96	97 + ¼
91	Do. 5½ p.c. Conversion	89	90* .....
9	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	7¾	9¾ .....
9¼	Do 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	7¾	9¾ .....
43½	Peru 7½ p.c. Guano	41	46 .....
1¾	Peruvian Corporation	1⅝	1⅞ .....
7½	Do. Pref	7	8 .....
37½	Do. Debs.	37	39 .....
95	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	97½	98½ .....
74½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	73¾	74¾ + ¼
4	Do. 6 p.c.	74	78* .....
41½	Turkish 7½ p.c., 1933	37⅜	41⅝ .....

BRITISH RAILS.

45½	Great Western	70	81	+ 1¼
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	121	123	+ 1
20	Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	20⅝	21½	+ ⅜
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	81½	83½ .....
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	102	103 .....
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	85½	87½ .....
12¼	Lon., North-East. 5 p.c. Pref.-Ord	11¾	12¼ .....
6	Do. Def. Ord.	5⅞	6⅛ .....
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	64	66 .....
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	24	26 .....
—	Lond. Trans. 5 p.c. "A"	123	136* .....
—	Do. 4½ p.c. "A"	123	136* .....
—	Do. "B"	126	129* .....
—	Do. "C"	99½	99½ .....
83½	Southern Pref.-Ord.	83	84 — ¼
23¼	Do. Def.-Ord.	22¾	23¼ — ¼
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	121	123 +1

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

20	Antofagasta Ord.	20½	22½ + ⅜
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	7½	9½ .....
23	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk.	78	80 + ½
23	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	24	26 .....
9	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	9	10 .....
18	Buenos Ayres and W.	19	21 .....
—	Canadian National Gnar.	78	80 .....
—	Canadian Pacific (£25)	10 1/16	10 5/16 .....
13½	Central Argentine Ord.	14	16 .....
2½	Do. Def.	7	9 .....
5	Central Uruguay Ord.	4	7 .....
2	Cordoba Central New	2	3 .....
—	Do. 1st Deb.	27	30 .....
10	Do. 2nd Deb.	9	11 .....
12	Entre Rios	12½	14½ .....
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	16½	19½ .....
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	99	102* .....
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	102	105* .....
—	Interni. of Cent. America	1	3 .....
4½	Leopoldina	4	5 .....
2¼	Mexican Rails	1½	1½ .....
2¼	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	1½	2½ .....
1¼	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	1½	1½ .....
32	San Paulo Ord.	30	34 .....
2	United Havana	1½	3½ .....

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	47	50 .....
—	Chicago, Milwaukee New	½	1½ .....
—	New York Central	16	19 .....
—	Pennsylvania	22	25 .....
10¼	Southern Common	9	12 .....
—	Southern Pacific	17	20 +1
106½	Union Pacific	102	107 .....

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

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121/3	Bass Ratcliff Ord.	119/6	121/6 .....
—	Brewers of Vancouver	2/4½	2/10½ —0/1½
11/6	City of London Def. (5/-)	12/9	17/6 —0/1½
93/6	Courage Ord.	85/9	97/6 —0/6
95/6	Distillers Ord.	94/6	95/6 .....
149/6	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	147/9	149/6 —1/0
109/6	Ind Coope and Allsopp	106/9	111/9 .....
—	Mitchell and Butlers	83/9	85/9 .....
92.6	South African Breweries	90/6	92/6 —0/6
—	Walker (John) Pref.	32/6	33/6 .....
18/9	Walker (P.) & R. Cain Or.	20/9	21/9 .....
73/6	Watney Combe Def.	74/6	75/6 —0/6

DRAPERY AND STORES.

73/9	Barker (John)	73/9	76/9 .....
6/0	Cook, Son and Co.	5/9	6/9 .....
—	Gamage (A. W.)	18/3	19/3 .....
4	Harrod's Stores	4 1/32	4 3/32 .....
5/3	Harrod's "B.A."	2/0	7/6 +0/3
21/6	Maple and Co.	22/9	23/6 .....
4½	Marks & Spencer (5/-)	4 5/16	4 7/16 .....
—	Selfridges Pref.	23/3	28/9 —0/10½
112/9	Woolworth Ord.	111/9	112/9 —0/3
31/4½	Do. Pref.	30.9	31/6 .....

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth & Poole	28.6	29.6 .....
33/6	Charing Cross	33/0	34/0* .....
38/3	City of London	37/0	38/9 .....
67/6	County of London	57/9	58/9 .....
—	Edmundson's	44/9	45/9 —0/3
—	Electric Supply Corp.	61/6	63/6 +0/3
—	Lancashire	39/0	40/0 .....
39/0	London Electric	37/9	38/9 .....
52/9	Metropolitan	53/3	4.0 .....
34/6	North-Eastern	34.0	35.0 —0/3
33/6	St. James's	32/0	34/0 .....
—	South London	34/0	36/0 .....
33/6	Westminster Electric	33/9	35/0 .....
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref.	23/6	25/6 .....
—	Yorkshire Ord.	44/3	45/0 .....

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

33/0	Associated Electric Ind.	34/6	33/6 .....
84/6	British Insul. Cables	83.5	84/3 +0/6
76/0	Callenders Cable	77/0	74/0* +0/3
—	Enfield Cable	5½	6¼ .....
—	English Electric	16/6	17/0 .....
21/8	Ever Ready (5/-)	20/6	21/3 —0/1½
39/3	General Electric Ord.	37/0	38/0* .....
6¾	Henley's Telegraph	6	6¾ .....
2	Johnson and Phillips	29/6	40/6 .....
—	Philips Lamps	2 7/16	2 11/16 +1/16
24/0	Siemens	23/9	24/0 .....
—	Telegraph Constr.	28/9	29/9 —0/3

INSURANCE.

—	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	26½	27½ .....
—	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	14½	15¾ .....
—	Com Un. £1 Units	10⅛	10⅝ .....
—	Eagle Star Ord. £5	20¼	21¼ + ¼
—	Employers' £1 (5/- paid)	3	3¼ .....
—	Gen. Reach £5 (£1 p.)	23	24 .....
—	Guardian £3 (10/- paid)	14	14½* .....
—	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£2)	33	34 .....
—	Lon. Ass. £5 (£1 p.)	15½	15⅝ .....
—	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1 p.)	47¼	48¼ .....
—	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	20	21 .....
—	Pearl £1	2 1/32	2 1/16 .....
—	Phœnix £10 (£1 paid)	16⅞	17⅜ .....
—	Do. £1 (1.p.)	16¾	17¼ .....
—	Prudential	36	37 .....
—	Do. "B" £1 (4/- paid)	3 5/16	3 7/16 .....
—	Royal Exchange	9¾	10⅜ .....
—	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- pd.)	8½	9 .....
—	Sun Ins. £1 (5/- paid)	4⅝	4⅞ .....
—	Sun Life £1 (1.p.)	7⅝	8¼ .....
—	Yorkshire 50/- (10/- pd.)	3¼	3½ .....

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

17/0	Argentine Land Invest.	16/9	17/9	+0/3
13/3	Do. Southern Land	13/9	16/9	+1/0
—	Covent Garden Ord.	29 6	30/6	
17/0	Forestal Land	16/6	17/6	+0/3
14/0	Hudson's Bay Ord.	17/6	18/6	
1½	Hyderabad Deccan	1 1/16	1 3/16	
1/9	Rexin Syndicate	1/3	1/9	
23/3	Sudan Plantations	21/6	32/6	—0/3

OILS.

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20/1½	Anglo-Ecuadorian	20/1½	20/7½ —0/1½
1 1/16	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1¼	1⅜ .....
3½	Anglo-Persian Ord.	3	3⅛* .....
37/7½	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	36/3	36/9* —0/1½
38/9	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	37/0	37/6* —0/3
—	Anglo-Iranian Ord.	2 31/32	3 1/32* .....
24/3	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	23/9	24/9 —0/3
7/8	Attock	1 3/32	1 5/32 .....
13/4½	British Borneo Pet. (6/0)	13/0	13/6 —0/1½
4/6	British Burmah (2/)	4/6	5/0 .....
3/7½	British Controlled	3 1/4½	3 1/16 —0/1½
7/9	Do. Pref.	7 7/4½	7 7/16 —0/1½
3 31/32	Burmah	3 7/32	3 9/32 —1/32
39/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	38/6	39/0 .....
5/4½	Canadian Eagle Ord.	5/0	5/6 .....
10/1½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref ($10)	10/0	10/6 .....
6/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	6/0	7/0 —0/3
2/9	Kern River (10/)	2/6	3/0 +0/1½
1 20/32	Lobitos	1¾	1 15/16 —1/32
5/4½	Mexican Eagle Ord.	4/9	5/3 .....
5/4½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	4/9	5/9 .....
5/0	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref (4 peso)	6/6	7/6 .....
0/9	North Caucasian (10/)	1/0	1/6 .....
9/3	Phœnix Oil	8/10½	9 4½ —0/3
4/7½	Do. 1/- shares	4/3	4/6 .....
25½	Royal Dutch	23 5/8	25 7/8 + ¼
3½	Shell Transport	3¼	3 5/16 .....
13⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. £10	12½	13 .....
23/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	22/9	23/7 .....
10/3	Stanus Romana	9/4½	9/10½ —0/1½
3 7/32	Tankers Pref.	2/10½	3/4½ —0/3
10 4½	Trinidad Central	9/6	10/0 —0/3
3 1/32	Trinidad Leaseholds	2 15/32	3 1/32 .....
2¼	V.O.C. Holdings	2 5/16	2 5/8 +1/32
2¼	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	2 5/16	2 5/8 +1/32

RUBBERS.

23/1½	Anglo-Dutch	22/9½	+0/1½
13/0	Anglo-Malay	12/6	.....
3/8	Bukit Mertajam	3 7½	.....
1/0	Bukit Sembawang	0/10½	—0/1½
17/6	Grand Central	17/6	.....
21/3	Highlands	21/3	.....
13/0	Jugra Land	12/10½	.....
1 27/32	Kuala Lumpur	35/7½	—0/7½
18/3	Linggi	18/0	.....
4/4½	London Asiatic	4/4½	.....
25/3	Malacca	24/6	.....
33/0	Malayalam	32 4½	.....
3/1½	Merlimau-Pegoh	3/1½	.....
18/1½	Orient Trust	18/0	.....
32/0	Rubber Trust	32/0	—0/3
2/0	Tandjong	19/0	.....
29/0	Tandjong Malim	26/9	—0/6
2 15/16	United Sua Betong	55/0	.....
9/8	Vallambrosa	9/4½	.....

RHODESIAN.

Allagar	1/0	Java Amal.	21/3 .....
Anglo Java (4/0)	0/10½	Kahulubig	2/0½ .....
do. 8 p.c. debs.	89½	Kepong (2/)	3/4½ .....
Batu Tiga	30/6	—0/1½	Kepitigalla	1/0 .....
Bernam Per'k	2/6	Kinta Kellas	1/10½ .....
Bikam (2/)	1/1½	Kombok	27/1½ .....
Brit. I.G. Trst	7/5	Kuala Sel	3/7½ .....
Brit. E. Java	1/3	Ledbury	23/9 .....
Brooms Sel(2/)	4/0	Manch'r N.B.	12/6 .....
Bunlar	1 1/16	N. Hunmbock	10/0 .....
Castleton	3/0	P.F.K (C'y'n)	12/6 .....
Central Perak	2/4½	Patalling	32/1½ .....
Chersonese	2/9	Perak (2/)	3/0 .....
Chevriot	3/10½	Rambutan	1/6 .....
Cicely	1/3	Rim Malacca	2/4½ .....
Djasinga	15/6	Sedenak	26/0 .....
East. Sumatra	2/3	Soember Ajoe	1/7½ .....
F.M.S. Plant.	29/9	+0/4½	Sungei Siput	3/4½ .....
Gen. Ceylon	10/0	Talping	2/0 .....
Glenberrie	1/4½	—0/1½	Telogomas	18/0 .....
Golden Hope	26/6	Un. Serd'ng	3/4½ .....
Gordon	1/7½	Yam Seng	2/7½ .....

TEAS.

Amal Estates	9¾	Imperial	1 1/8 +1/32
Assam Con	3 1/32	Jetinga Valley	1 1/32 .....
Assam Prov't'e	1/8	Jhanzie	1 1/32 + ⅛
Bagwan'dawa	2¾	Jokai	1 7/8 + ⅛
Borelli	2 9/16	Jorehaut	2 +1/16
Brahmapoorta	19	Kanan Devan	2 5/8 .....
Brit. Indian	2 1/16	+ 1/16	Lebong	1 7/8 + ⅛
Budla Beta	1 3/16	+ 1/16	Langin	2 .....
Ceylon Plant.	3	Makum	3 1/4 .....
Ceylon Prop.	1 5/16	Moabund	1 5/16 .....
Chargola	2

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Meteors : St. Brigid's Cloak : Swans and their Ways : Postage Stamps

What Colour Wore St. Brigid?

The pilgrimage to the shrine at Faughart, St. Brigid's birthplace, on the first Sunday of July, gives timely interest to an essay on St. Brigid in the July *Irish Monthly*, by Miss Alice Curtayne, the Kerry biographer of the saint. Somewhat scornfully does Miss Curtayne dismiss Tuohy's famous painting of St. Brigid which, printed by the Talbot Press, is seen in hundreds of the schools of Ireland; nor is she pleased with Mr. Leo Whelan's recent painting, which Messrs. Gill have published. "I do maintain that their representations are not wondrously well-informed, and they fail to satisfy the mind." Miss Curtayne ridicules the red mantle which Tuohy gives his subject; but here, I think, it is Miss Curtayne who is not as wondrously well-informed as he was. The reputed mantle of St. Brigid lies in Bruges, and it is of the deep hue that Tuohy adopted. Whether the relic is genuine or not does not matter here; for it serves to show that a purple-red cloak was what was believed in antiquity to be the great Irishwoman's garb.

Withered Beech Leaves

Beech leaves that usually present such a dainty and delicate appearance in the early summer have suffered considerably from the harsh late frosts of this year. In the Kilbride and Blessington districts this is particularly noticeable, whole avenues of beech trees being completely withered as if a fire had passed over them. A stranger to the district at first thought that this damage must have been caused by the heavy hail storms of the past week or two, but local residents affirm that this complete destruction of early summer growth took place prior to the recent period of thundery weather. It would appear from this, that beech leaves are particularly sensitive to frosty conditions, for no other foliage seemed affected. It would be interesting to know whether the leaves of this tree suffered in other districts, or whether the bleak and exposed position of Kilbride and its immediate surroundings is alone responsible. So complete is the destruction wrought that at first sight the trees are easily mistaken for copper beeches.

Fiat Lux

Exactly ten years ago "summer time" became a permanent institution. The plan to save light by advancing the clock one hour in the summer months was mooted first in 1911. It was adopted as a War measure, but protests against its permanent use continued to be made as late as 1925, when at last its use became the rule. Thus for twenty years we have been tricking ourselves into earlier rising, and for ten years we have come to regard "daylight saving" as part of the order of nature. There are full-grown adults among us now who cannot remember days when the clock jogged on in harmony with the sun all the year round.

It was remarked lately that the World War seems to have engendered a craving for light. The tungsten filament and the gas-filled lamp came into use about 1914, but curfew denied the citizen benefit, and strong lighting was used only on the battlefield for four years. Since the War brighter cities have become the rule, with permanent nocturnal flood-lighting as the aim.

Early Perseids

The opportunities for meteoric observations begin to improve in July, especially in the latter part of the month, when early Perseids may be looked for. There will not be much moonlight during the first ten or eleven days, nor after the 21st (unless in the morning hours) to interfere with observation. Maxima fall on the 5th and 7th during the hour before midnight. The early morning hours of the 10th should also furnish some meteors, and the rest of that day is marked by a good deal of meteoric activity, which will not be directly visible. This is also true as regards the following days—the 11th to the 13th—there being a large maximum on the 13th about 11.50 p.m. Other maxima fall on the 16th and 20th, and on the 26th there are two maxima between 9.45 and 11.20 p.m., while on the 27th there is a secondary maximum at 10.5 p.m. Two of the most important dates in the latter part of the month are the 24th and 30th, when the shower will not be directly visible here, the principal maximum being on the 24th in the early afternoon, and on the 30th in the morning about 5.30; but there is an earlier maximum on the latter morning between two and three o'clock.

Colour in Postage Stamps

The reaction of the general public to brighter colours (writes a correspondent) is expressed even in their choice of postage stamps, judging by the extreme difficulty frequently experienced in local post offices to obtain a supply of a particular value. Time and again would-be purchasers of penny stamps are informed that the supply has run out, but if they wish they can get their money's worth in halfpennies and twopennies. Quite apart from their artistic appeal, a penny stamp is more useful for general purposes than any other, for numerous, indeed, are the postable articles that go for less than twopence, and those who value neatness in their letter-writing scruple to use four halfpennies when two pennies would suffice. But the postmistress of a tiny country post office affirms that the peculiar popularity of the penny stamp is due entirely to its pleasing colour. Apparently the people of to-day have become colour conscious even in their letter-writing, and when two brightly-tinted stamps can be purchased for the price of one of more sombre hue, it is only natural that the former would be their choice.

Swan Flight

A correspondent writes: A few weeks ago, while walking near Queen's University, Belfast, I saw a large bird, with a long neck, which I took to be a goose. It was sailing steadily along above the buildings, and as it went gave a curious wailing cry. When I described my "goose" to a friend he laughed—"That was a swan. You often see them flying like that in the direction of the sea. The wailing is made by their wings." After this information I was very much interested to see the start of a swan's flight. I was watching a number of these birds feeding on the Lagan, when one suddenly began to flap its wings, and then did a sort of running-take-off over the surface of the water before actually rising into the air. Unfortunately, it alighted a short distance down the river, so the wailing of its wings had hardly time to commence.

Intelligence or Food Instinct?

I had another interesting experience a few days later, when motoring round the Ards Peninsula. We stopped the car to take a photo of Portaferry, and then went on about half a mile or so along the road by the Lough. To our surprise, before we had time to start our picnic tea we saw two swans, which we had noticed near Portaferry Harbour, swimming round the bend of the shore. Now, how did they know that our party, out of all the carloads that passed during the afternoon, would stop for a meal? Was it intelligence or merely the food-gathering instinct? Anyway, it brought them a few tit-bits.

QUIDNUNC.

CONGRATULATED ON RE-ELECTION

LORD MAYOR AT PORT AND DOCKS BOARD

When Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D., Lord Mayor of Dublin, arrived at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, Mr. T. F. Laurie (chairman) congratulated him on behalf of the Board on re-election for the sixth time as Lord Mayor. He hoped that his new year of office would be as strenuous as in the past.

The Lord Mayor, who was warmly applauded, briefly returned thanks.

Arising out of a letter from the Inter-Departmental Committee on Public Works regarding the cleaning of river walls and the bed of the river between Kingsbridge and Butt Bridge, the Chairman said that the seaweed on the walls was not unsightly, and was a sign that the river was clean.

The Lord Mayor remarked that this would be a good way of providing relief work, and suggested that the matter should be brought under the notice of the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance.

The Chairman said that there was a difficulty in regard to who owned the bed of the river, and he thought that it should be referred to the law agent and the engineer.

This course was agreed upon.

Mr. Martin O'Sullivan suggested that additional drinking water facilities should be provided at the Bull Wall.

The Chairman said that that was a matter for the Corporation.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

SUCCESSFUL FAIR

The opening ceremony yesterday, the second day of the country fair organised by the Girls' Friendly Society, in Lord Iveagh's grounds, Dublin, was presided over by the Archdeacon of Dublin. Mrs. Gregg, former Central President of the Society, declared the fair open, and spoke of the work done in Oak House, Dublin, the headquarters. She advised those present who had not done so to visit the house and make friends with the girls there. It was a great asset, she said, to the whole of Ireland.

The Archdeacon spoke of the object of the fair, which was to clear off the debt of nearly £600 on Oak House. A similar effort had been made, he said, in two other dioceses. The Society was spread throughout the world, but it still sought to expand its work among the girls of their own Church.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin congratulated the Society and the organisers of the fête, and hoped that by the end of the week the Oak House debt would have been cleared off.

Yesterday's entertainments at the fair were contributed by Miss Weldon (sketch), pupils of Miss Harkness (dancing), and selections by the band of No. 1 Dublin Company, Boys' Brigade. Dancing continued in the covered court from 8 to 11 p.m.

The competitions at the flower show resulted as follows:—Floating bowl—1, Mrs. King-French, Clonsilla; 2, Miss M. Lancaster, Bray; 3, Mrs. C. St. G. Orpen, Carrick mines. Flowers arranged after the manner of Dutch masters—1, Mrs. Riall, Enniskerry; 2, Miss Fowler, Bray; 3, Miss D. Findlater, Blackrock; highly commended, Miss R. H. Shackleton, Lucan. Bouquets for brideamaids—1, Mrs Merrick Lloyd, Blackrock; 2, Mrs Orpen; 3, Mrs. Eccles, Offaly. Sprays for wearing—1 Mrs. Lewis Crosby; 2, Mrs. Orpen; 3, Miss D. Findlater. Buttonholes—1, Miss Fowler; 2, Miss A. F. Scott, Bray; 3, Mrs. T. Kennedy, Dublin. The judges were—Mr. Dermod O'Brien, P.,R.H.A.; Mrs. Chatterton, Mrs. Crampton Walker, and the Rev. H B Dobbs.

The fair will be opened at 3 p.m. to-day by the Dean of St. Patrick's Cathedral, and to-morrow by Miss Rosa Todd, President of the G.F.S.

PRESBYTERY OF DUBLIN

VISITATION AT NAAS

The Presbytery met at Naas on Wednesday afternoon for visitation. The Moderator (the Rev. James Henderson) presided, and was supported by the Revs. J. H. Black, R. C. Gillespie, S. Lewis, and the Clerk (the Rev. J. S. Crockett), with Messrs. J. McFarlane, W. R. McNab and O. R. Williams, elders. The Kirk Session was represented by Mr. J. McLush (elder) and Mrs Thomas Porter, and the Committee by Messrs. T. R. Gibson and G. Ronaldson.

The Rev. John Wilson, M.A., conducted a devotional Service, after which the prescribed questions were answered, and a finding was arrived at, dealing with the cordial relations between minister and people and the satisfactory state of religion in the congregation. The Rev. J. H. Black was appointed to read the finding on a convenient Sabbath. The congregation recently received a bequest from the estate of Mrs. Samuel Kinnear, a former member of the Church. The members were hospitably entertained by Mrs. Wilson and the ladies of the congregation.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

TRINITY TERM, 1935.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION

The following candidates have passed:—Alexander, Kyle McClean; Armstrong, Elizabeth Graham; Byrn, Francis MacDermot; Cooke, Eric Robert Nathaniel; Cowdy, Anthony; Cox, Arthur William Moncrieff; Cunningham, John Gerard; Daly, George Laurence; Daniels, Henry Aeroux; Davey, Francis Anthony; Delap, Peter; Eakins, William Thomas; Ellerker, Henry Graham; Elliott, Isabelle Mary Violet; Ellis, Elizabeth; Eppel Cecil; Ford, John Albert; Foster, Samuel; Freedman, Jack; Gallaugher, Frances Elizabeth Scott; Campbell; Gash, John George; Gibson, Dorothea Frances; Gillespie, Frederick Joseph; Groves, Annie Georgina Hanna, Alan Gordon; Harris, Derycke Reiley Henderson, Herbert John Reid; Heron, George Victor; Hicks, George Herbert Bawtree-Holland, Thomas; Houston, Joseph Hughes; Hume, Richard Humphreys, Benjamin Thomas; Keane, Francis; Kennedy, William Russell; Kenny, William Thomas; McCartney, Ernest Thom; McCombe, Annie Pauline Willis; McKinnery, Ivan; Moore, Elizabeth Wilson; O'Reilly, Randal Francis Joseph; O'Toole, Kevin; Patton, Percival Griffith; Pinkerton, Robert Harold; Sides, John Robert; Spacek, Mortimer Rudolph William; Stewart, Hessie; Taylor, Mary; Wallace, Richard Hume; Watters, Iris Catherine Grace; Williamson, William Edward; Wilson, George Alec.

Senior Sophister Supplemental Term Examination.—McDonough, William Irwin Patrick; Wright, Herbert James.

PRESENTATION TO THE REV. ANDREW GAILEY

There was an interesting ceremony at Peamount Sanatorium on Wednesday afternoon last, when the Rev. Andrew Gailey, B.A., Presbyterian chaplain was presented with a handsome clock from the Peamount Committee of Management as a token of appreciation of his twenty-three years' devoted services to the patients at the institution.

The Dowager Lady Everard, Chairman of the Committee of Management, made the presentation, and Mr. Gailey acknowledged the gift in suitable terms.

ACADEMY OF CHRISTIAN ART

The members of the Academy of Christian Art made an interesting tour of County Kildare on Wednesday, conducted by Father Myles Ronan, D.Litt. There was a muster of over ninety members, among them being the Very Rev. T. O'Ryan, P.P.; Father Coleman, O.P.; Father S. J. Brown, S.J.; Father Swayen, President, Knockbeg College; Count and Countess Plunkett, Dr. Ethna Byrne, Miss Dease, Dr. Alice Barry, Mr. R. C. Simington, Professor Robert O'Dwyer, Mr. Hubert Rooney, and Mrs. Austin Stack.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

HAS CO-OPERATION FAILED?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your reviewer, "Agricola," continues to be to me "a source of innocent merriment." I could have taken no offence, and I took none at his reference to my "modest omission" of my portrait. And I had no idea that I should have offended his susceptibilities by divesting him of all taint of the odour of the farm-yard. Should he, however, desire the "satisfaction of a"—reviewer, I must remind him of a blustering French duellist. This worthy once remarked to a rival, politely: "You smell like a goat." The insulted one promptly challenged the offender. "To what purpose?" replied the latter. "If you should kill me you will not smell any better; if I kill you, you will probably smell much worse."

In his letter in your issue of 3rd inst. "Agricola" says that he has the cause of co-operation at heart. To this I reply: "It is all very well to dissemble your love, but why did you kick me downstairs?" He completely distorts what I have said about the co-operative creameries. I never said or implied that there was nothing co-operative about them. Their constitution is as purely co-operative as it could be. The principle of one man one vote is universal. The committees of management are democratically elected strictly according to that principle. The members enjoy the right of inspection of the accounts. An annual audit, compulsory by law and carried out by a duly qualified auditor, gives them full information as to the condition of the business. They sell their product in any market which is open to them, just as do the Danish, Swedish, New Zealand, Australian, Canadian, Dutch, Siberian, Argentine and all other creameries. The Irish creameries would gladly sell the whole of their output, and so avoid bad debts and competition with one another, to the Co-operative Wholesale Society, which buys, annually, about £11,000,000 worth of butter, and could easily take the whole of ours but for the tariffs, the quota and the operation of the "economic war." Does "Agricola" seriously assert that the I.A.O.S. should have waited to organise a co-operative market in this little country, with its population of 3,000,000, before it attempted to organise the dairy farmers to salve what was left to them of their vanishing industry? If he does not mean this what does he mean?

And where did I ever admit that a "proprietary" (*sic*) creamery would "give its 'shareholders' exactly the same service and would trade in exactly the same way?" Who, may I ask, are the "shareholders" in a "proprietary" creamery? Not the milk-suppliers, anyway. "Agricola" claims to have "studied co-operation in theory and practice in Ireland and abroad." Yet he appears to have failed to profit by his studies here at home as well as in Belgium. His eulogy of the *Boerenbund* displays a looseness in writing for which he will not be greatly thanked by the Belgian clergy. He has tried to explain what he meant by the "respectful unanimity which the presence of the spiritual commands" in the proceedings of the Belgian Committees. To the ordinary individual it is capable of only one interpretation—that which I have placed upon it.

I am content to let the Department of Agriculture defend itself against "Agricola" and his ghostly prompter, that "most highly expert official of the Department itself." But where "Agricola" charges me with making no attempt to controvert what is undeniable—that the land "supported far more people under the people's own methods than it has supported since the Department undertook to reform us"—I must make reply.

"Agricola" evidently belongs to a younger generation than mine. Everybody knows that the population of Ireland was almost three times as great in the pre-famine years than it is to-day. But when he talks about this population having been "supported" he obviously knows little of the nature of that support. Not so with me. I began to take notice of the conditions with which I was surrounded just twenty years after the great famine and pestilence of 1847. I had daily intercourse with many who had managed to survive that terrible period, and heard from their lips how they had been forced to eat raw turnips, to boil "*pressaugh bui*" (charlock and eat it, to boil and eat nettles. Those were counted, indeed, fortunate who could manage to obtain even a scanty supply of "yalla male," coarse-ground, indigestible maize meal. There were no potatoes; for they had failed completely. Almost invariably the survivors of the famine were terribly disfigured by the scars left by the smallpox. Typhus fever devastated the countryside. The horrors of starvation and the ravages of disease, together with the eternal struggle for existence, had reduced even those who had once been strong to little more than skin and bone. What can "Agricola" possibly know of this?

Even in my youth, more than sixty years ago, and up to the early days of the present century, the pay of an agricultural labourer was generally one shilling per day, without food, sometimes seven shillings a week, but in that case the recipient was expected to come on Sundays to feed the cattle and do other odd jobs. In some cases, but not universally by any means, the farmer provided a dwelling of some kind, a mere hovel, oftener than not. Occasionally a rent of a shilling a week was deducted from the scanty wages. Usually the farmer was prepared to give his workmen as much potato ground as they could manure from the family midden which voided its nameless contents annually at seed time. Those labourers who could do so kept a pig, now and then two. The pig was more of a savings bank than anything else. The farmer ploughed the land, usually into ridges or "lazy beds," but the spade-work had to be done by the workman after his day's labour on the farm. The only other perquisite he received, and then only if he were married and had a family was a can of sour skimmilk, or occasionally buttermilk. I have known of cases, fortunately rare, where payment was demanded for the milk.

Such condition prevailed on my father's farm. Employment was eagerly sought there because he paid his men their wages "wet or dry"—*i.e.*, they were not sent home wageless in bad weather, as jobs of one kind or another were found to occupy them. If the men got wet they had no change of clothes and, perforce, the sodden garments dried themselves on the lean bodies of their wearers.

When the potato crop was good there was contentment, almost happiness, in the miserable homes of these patient toilers. Otherwise the "yalla male" became the chief diet. Eggs were doled out sparingly to the working head, but rarely, except at Easter, did the rest of the family get them. They were too valuable; the few pence they realised provided the poor mother with the only possible means of obtaining a little tea and sugar. As new milk was seldom to be had, the tea was too often drunk black and "without colouring." Butter was unknown, and the small amount of dripping and kitchen fat that our house provided was snapped up eagerly. At Christmas all who could possibly afford it bought a piece of American bacon, locally known as "the lad." In a few houses this rare delicacy might also appear at Easter. Needless to say, butchers' meat was wholly absent; at Christmas it used to be my father's custom to kill a fat beast and divide the meat among his workpeople. There was no great enthusiasm for it, for the people had neither the means nor the knowledge to cook it otherwise than by boiling. They preferred infinitely "the lad" to the insipid "free beef." "There is nothing like 'the lad,'" they said, "to graise a head of cabbitch."

Did ever "Agricola," in the pursuit of his wide and deep knowledge of our agrarian economy, sit with a poor family, as I have done, all huddled round a bad fire (all the turf had been cut away years before) from which the acrid smoke swirled round the miserable dwelling, escaping as best it could after having reddened the eyelids of the occupants, with the "rain down" coming through the rotten thatch, with no better place of rest or escape from their misery except one large bed of chaff or straw, in which father and mother, the infant and the growing child, were all condemned to lie?

I never entered one of these dreadful abodes without a cordial welcome. No secrets were kept from me. I grew to love those simple, kindly people, whose manners were perfect because utterly devoid of any affectation. They "made no stranger of me." What I had seen often brought the tears very near to my eyes. I longed to help them. If in after years I succeeded, even to a very limited extent, I am grateful to have been afforded the opportunity by Horace Plunkett, even though "the basis of his movement was materialistic." Such experiences as I had were not given to many boys of my condition. They bumbled my pride as nothing else could have done. They showed me how these struggling, suffering people clung to their sublime faith in the goodness of God and to their calm resignation to His Will. There was something very fine, very touching, to see the whole family join in calling for a blessing on their poor meal, and, having partaken of it, to return thanks devoutly.

If the re-population of the countryside were to result in a return of such appalling conditions it would be to me unthinkable. If "Agricola's" heart is set on advancing co-operation, as he avers, let him come forward with the constructive ideas he mentions, and he will find the Committee of the I.A.O.S. more than sympathetic, provided his ideas have anything in them, and have not been borrowed from some long discredited source.—Yours, etc.,

R. A. ANDERSON.

106 Seafield road, Clontarf,
July 3rd, 1935.

THE ABBEY THEATRE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I read in to-day's *Irish Times* that during the broadcast discussion on the future of the Abbey Theatre one of the speakers said:—"If one sends a play to the Abbey . . . and if it is either taken or rejected it is done, in either case, with the air of a theatre conferring a compliment on an author."

That has not been my experience of the Abbey. When I went to the rehearsal of my first play—not knowing anybody in the theatre—I was struck by the eagerness shown by everyone who had a part in the production, that the play should please its author—should be done exactly as the author wished. There was not the slightest suggestion of conferring a favour.

Now, when we are hearing so much criticism of the Abbey, I think there must be many of us who remember the courtesy and helpfulness and encouragement we have met with there. And that courtesy and encouragement has been spoken of to me, not only by those whose plays were produced, but also by authors of plays that were not accepted, but were stimulatingly criticised.—Yours, etc.,

TERESA DEEVY.

Landscape, Waterford, July 2nd, 1935.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—The debate from the Dublin station on the future of the Abbey overlooked one very vital point. It was as much by a tradition of acting that the Abbey became famous as by a tradition of play-writing. Dr. Yeats, I am sure, would never wish to deny the credit due to others besides himself for the foundation of the Abbey tradition. It is surely a matter of established fact that Yeats and all the other literary ladies and gentlemen were merely groping blindly for a medium of expression until Frank and William Fay came along with their ideas of acting, production and diction. It can hardly be supposed that this shatteringly new technique was not the most impressive feature of the Abbey tradition at the outset, and for many years afterwards. Although "the latter day Abbey" was frequently referred to, there appeared to be no ignorance on the part of the debaters of the beginnings of the Abbey. An exactly similar attitude was taken by Lennox Robinson in an article for the *Radio Times*, and what I read of the recent controversy in your columns was similarly devoid of reasoned reference to Abbey acting.

What is the point behind this deliberate (or apparently deliberate) ignoring of the most important factor in the growth of the Irish National Theatre? Could it be that since the Fays were neither Republicans nor Free-Staters, saints or martyrs, they are not considered worthy of mention?

By going back to essentials and studying the real elements of Abbey acting, the theatre would do better than it would by starving on the Government's or anybody else's doorstep. In discovering what these true elements are, William Fay's forthcoming book, "The Fays of the Abbey Theatre," should be of assistance.

There used to be a portrait of my father in the foyer of the Abbey, and, perhaps, it is still there, but if the literary and play-going public are going to forget—to ignore the great work he did, the Abbey directors ought to take it down and send it over to me—I would at least value it!—Yours, etc.,

GERARD FAY.

5 Ash Grove, Thornham, Rochdale,
July 3rd, 1935.

A TAXED BIBLE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—"But the Word of God is not bound." In these words St. Paul tells Timothy (2 Tim. ii. 9) that, though he is a prisoner bound with a chain, yet the fetters that bind him cannot bind his inspired message to Timothy, and, through Timothy, to the Church of Christ in every age. In other words, though a pagan Rome bound the great Apostle of the Gentiles in prison, yet she left his hands free to write those inspired epistles that have been the Church's precious heritage ever since.

It has remained for *Saorstát Eireann* to achieve the "distinction" of being the first Christian Government in these modern times to "bind" the Word of God by imposing a tariff of 30 *per cent.* on all copies of the Scriptures imported to its citizens. I understand that in Russia the importation of the Bible through the Customs is forbidden, though, after all, this is only what one would expect of an "anti-God" country, whose rulers reprobate everything tending for organised Christianity. That a country whose early saints were renowned for their love and study of the Scriptures should prevent the Word of God having free course is somewhat startling, and constitutes another "record," even in these days of "record" achievements.

That the new tariff will not reduce unemployment is demonstrated by the facts (1) that the Tariff Commission which examined this matter of the printing of Bibles and liturgical books in this State reported that only a very limited quantity of these were required here annually, and that for various reasons the printing of such works (i.e., Bibles in Hebrew, Latin, Greek or English, and liturgical works) was impracticable; (2) that the total circulation of the British and Foreign Bible Society's editions of the Bible for last year throughout Ireland totalled 100,346.

Is it too late to appeal to the Minister for Finance to rescind this "tax on religion"? Surely he does not wish to go down to posterity as the Minister for Finance who "taxed the Bible"?—Yours, etc.,

W. E. KENNY.

St. John's Rectory,
Newport, County Tipperary,
July 1st, 1935.

FILMS AT ATTRACT TOURISTS

At a meeting of the Board of the Irish Tourist Association reports were received indicating an increase in tourist traffic through Irish ports, the increase in the number of American visitors being particularly noticeable. While acknowledging the value of Press advertising, the Board decided that henceforward films should be more generally used in portraying Irish holiday resorts. It was felt that the time had arrived when the Association should consider producing and circulating its own films, embracing the scenic, sporting, antiquarian and recreational attractions of Irish resorts.

References were made to the recent Press tour through Ireland, and the railway companies who were responsible for its organisation were warmly congratulated. Mr. J. M. Irwin (L.M.S. Railway) said that the tour was part of a very special effort to encourage travel to Ireland, and that his company was very anxious to encourage traffic to the Irish Free State. He assured the Board that all the railway and shipping companies interested in traffic to Ireland were anxious to co-operate whole-heartedly with the Irish Tourist Association.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF IRELAND

A meeting of the Board of Governors and Guardians of the National Gallery of Ireland was held on Wednesday last. There were present:—Chief Justice Kennedy (in the chair), Mr. Justice Murnaghan, Mr. Dermod O'Brien, P.,R.H.A.; Dr. E. J. Gwynn, M.A., Provost, Trinity College, Dublin; Sir Robert Woods, M.B., B.Ch., F.,R.C.S.I.; the Earl of Longford, Dr. Denis Coffey, M.A., M.B., LL.D., President, University College, Dublin; Sir Alec Martin, Mr. Joseph Holloway, F.,R.I.A.I.; Mr. George Atkinson, R.H.A., A.R.C.A.; Mr. Oliver Sheppard, R.H.A.; Miss Sarah Purser, R.H.A.; Mr. R. Caulfeild Orpen, R.H.A.

Dr. George Furlong, Lecturer at the National Gallery, London, and the Tate Gallery, London, was appointed to the position of Director of the Gallery.

Dr. Furlong will take up his duties as Director on 1st October.

THE SPREAD OF DIPHTHERIA

IMMUNISATION OF CHILDREN

MEDICAL OFFICER ON COMPULSORY SCHEME

A PECULIAR feature with regard to diphtheria outbreaks, writes Dr. J. D. Hourihane, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H., County Medical Officer of Health, in his annual report on Health and Sanitary Conditions and on the School Medical Service in County Mayo in 1934, is their sudden appearance in districts which have previously been more or less free from the disease. There can be little doubt that the persistence and spread of the disease, once it has appeared, is largely due to the attendance at school of children who are in the incubation stage or are actually suffering from the disease in mild form. A safe rule is that a child complaining of sore throat, with headache and seediness, should be seen by a doctor without delay.

2,482 CHILDREN TREATED

The scheme for the immunisation of children against diphtheria, says Dr. Hourihane, was put into operation in 1934 in the Kilkelly, Killala and Claremorris areas. In all, a total of 2,482 children had received the necessary three injections at the end of 1934, and 116 were in course of immunisation.

Of those immunised, three children subsequently developed diphtheria, and one, unfortunately, died. This occurred, however, within a month or so of the immunisation, whereas it is considered unsafe to expect complete immunity in any particular case within six months.

"In operating this scheme," writes Dr. Hourihane, "it was not considered feasible to attempt Schick-testing, either before the course of injection (to find out those children who might already be immune to the disease) or after (to discover the small percentage in whom the ordinary number of injections might have failed to produce full immunity). Consequently, since it is not claimed that success is achieved in every case, there probably remains a very small number of children who, although they have received the full course, and the arbitrary period of, say, six months have passed, are not fully immune to diphtheria. At the same time, there can be no question but that a satisfactory result has been attained, in that probably not less than 95 per cent. of those treated are completely immune to diphtheria.

A SINGLE INJECTION

"I should personally," adds Dr. Hourihane, like to see diphtheria immunisation made compulsory in the same way as is vaccination against smallpox, and I believe that if it were there would be few defaulters. The time has surely come when immunisation has passed its period of trial, and is now accepted in all quarters as a proven procedure. No doubt, the fact of three injections being necessary introduces a difficulty, but even already materials are available for which it is claimed that immunity can be produced by a single injection. It is, perhaps, not too much to hope that, in the next few years, if 'one-shot' material stands up to the hard test of clinical experience as well as the older 'three-shot,' then compulsory immunisation might be introduced.

"In this connection it may be recorded that during 1934 340 persons died of diphtheria in Saorstat Eireann, a figure in advance of every other principal epidemic disease, except infantile diarrhœa, and it is unquestionable that each of these deaths could have been prevented by successful immunisation beforehand."

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Friday, July 5.

AN CHUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA.
(The Court of Criminal Appeal.)
(Sitting in the Supreme Court).

At 11.30 o'clock. Interlocutory Applications—Attorney-General v. Robert O'Sullivan, to be present; same v. John Doyle, to be present; same v. Patrick Flynn, to be present H. For free transcripts; same v. John Sheehan, to be present. H. For free transcript; same v. Wm. J. Lyons. For extension of time to appeal; same v. Leo O'Brien, for free transcript.

AN PRIMHEIRREITHEAMH.
(The Chief Justice.)

Before the Chief Justice, Saorstat Eireann. In the Supreme Court. At the rising of the Court of Criminal Appeal. Petitions—Adj. 52nd sect., Barrington and Son; 52nd sect., R. J. Warren; 12th sect., Brown and McCann; 12th sect., James Robinson. Motions—52nd sect., Malcomson and Law. Minors—Colman, minors; Scanlan, minors; Westby, minors; Tierney, minors.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 5. Action for Judgment. At 11 o'clock. Callan v. Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust. At 11.30 o'clock. Action (at hearing), White v. Arnott and ors.

BANKRUPTCY.

In Court No. 3—Arrangement, for judgment, Collins and Son; arrangement, Cullen and O'Beirne, Collins and Son; V. Elyan, Collins and Son; O'Connell, final exam., Porter, Morris and Co.; O'Donnell, do., Findlater and Co.; arrangement, a.c. comp., F. J. Allen; Carney, motion, J. Barrett; Crotty, do., M. Moloney; Fine, do., Stritch, Smith and Co.; Roe, audit and divd. T. & W. Purefoy; Sullivan, do., Collins and Son; arrangement, do., Thompson and Edwards; Roughan, do., Shannon and Co.; arrangement, do., Scallan and Co.; do., do., Horan and Devine; McCarthy, do., Casey, Clay and Collins; Beirne, audit a.c., A. Cox; McDermott, do., Collins and Son; McGuire, exam. witnesses, F. L. Clinch; Shaper, do., J. Fagan.

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Motions. On Notice—National Finance Co., Ltd., McKeon; Car Services, Ltd., v. McMonagle; Fitzpatrick v. Daly; Marshall, petr., Marshall, respdt. Summary Summonses — Robertson v. Wilson; Bourke v. Molloy.

PROBATE MOTIONS.

In Court 3, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte—In the goods of Garrett Byrne, decd.; Bridget McKenna, decd. On Notice—In the goods of Thomas McGovern, decd.

TRINITY SITTINGS FOR TRIAL BY JURY.

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock. To be Mentioned—Corcoran v. Harrison (personal injuries).

COURT OF THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
Land Acts, 1923-33.

At 23 Upper Merrion street, Dublin. Before the Appeal Tribunal, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Applications—Appeals in Notice on Motion. Appeals against Price of Untenanted Land. Section 25 (2) 1933 Act—Charles T. O'Rorke, owner (adj. from 22/2/1935); Eva M. Russell and another, owners; Leopold Charls, owner; Wm. J. O'Reilly, owner; James H. Walker, owner; Col. W. A. King Harman, owner; Kathleen O'Shea, owner; Capt. Blake, owner; Mona Richardson, owner; Anne O'Flynn, owner; Mary Morren, owner; reps. John M'Mahon, owners; Miss E. Heaslip, owner. John Folan, owner; Wm. Glover and others, owners. Land Act, 1931. Section 14 Appeal by Applicant against an Order of the Land Commission—Francis M'Namara, owner. Michael J. M'Namara, applic. Land Act, 1931. Section 10. Appeals by Owners against an Order of the Land Commission. Amendments L.M.—Clara Delmege and others, owners, John F. O'Grady, tenant.

MAISTIR NA HARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summonses—Mnihall v. Lynam; National Bank v. Rickard; Quigley v. Moore; Munster and Leinster Bank v. O'Donoghue; National Bank v. Callinan; Haxendale and Co. v. Scannell. On Notice—White v. Hornidge; Revenue Commissioners v. Cronly.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR MHEASAIREACHTA
(The Taxing Masters' Office.)

Master Deering, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—Hamill v. Hamill, A. A. Wells; Bell v. Tobin, J. W. Lane; Burke v. Dargan, R. Connolly; Dowling v. Ratiken; M. J. Dunne; Dunne v. Carney, Garvey and Smith; Reilly v. Laughlin, same; Little v. Cooper Rutledge, and Cox; M'Donagh to O'Donnell and Son, F. E. O'Donnell and Son; Cole to Fishbourne, Good and Murray; Fishbourne to Byrne, Meehan and Byrne.

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Wilson's Estate, T. Gerrard and Co.; Rotheram's Estate, Longfield, Jameson and Hamilton; Fox's Estate, Hone and Walkden; Hutchin's Estate, W. G. Lane and Co.; White's Estate, same; Gibney's Estate, A. Steen; Higgin's Estate, J. R. Peart; Taylor's Estate, Huggard, Brennan and Godfrey.

OIFIG AN SCRUDAIRA
(The Examiners' Office.)

Mr. Healy (Room 113), at 11 o'clock—Royal Bank of Ireland Ltd., v. McGurrin, sign cert.; City and County (Permanent) Benefit Building Society v. Armstrong, sign cert.; Mulhall v. Watson, sign cert., Labourers' Ireland's Acts and Carlow Co. Council, sign cert.; Co.'s Acts and Waterford Improved Dwellings Co. Ltd., sign cert.; Alley v. Blake, sign cert.; P. Finucane, decd., Mitchell v. Mitchell; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Foley; National Bank, Ltd., v. Birmingham.

Mr. Adderley (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—F. Griffin, decd., Griffin v. Griffin.

Mr. Greville (Room 110), at 11 o'clock—E. S. Coard, deceased, Coard v. Coard.

BANKRUPTCY.
(Before the Registrar.)

At 11 o'clock—Crawley, vouch account, Scallan and Co.; Croke, prove debts and vouch, Thompson and Edwards.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
(Examiners' Chambers, at 23 Merrion Square.)

Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11.30 o'clock—Rev. W. E. Burroughs (S.2275), vouch. At 3.30 o'clock—Dickson's Estate (E.C.4028).

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Lyster, vouch. At 12 o'clock—Denny Estate (E.C.6157), vouch. At 3 o'clock—Little and others.

Before Mr. Grove White, at 11 o'clock—A. D. Whitcroft (S.3578, etc.), vouch. At 12.30 o'clock—L. M. Bedford and others (S.2486), (Leagh's Rent), vouch. At 3 o'clock—C. T. Chamberlayne (S.4455), vouch. At 4 o'clock—Mrs. A. Thompson (S.3023), discharge rulings and settle schedule.

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ON THE WIRELESS

Daily Programme Review

DUBLIN: Ladies' Vocal Quartet, 9.15.

NORTHERN IRELAND: Irish Ballad Concert, 7.15.

B.B.C. NATIONAL: "Round the Bandstand," Musical Play, 8.45.

REGIONAL: "The Love for three Oranges" (Prokofiev), repeat, 8.30.

SCOTTISH: Orchestral Concert, 7.

VIENNA: Opera, "The Merry Wives of Windsor" (Nicolai), 8.

BEROMUNSTER: "Alexander's Feast" (Handel), 8.30.

THE Dublin programme to-night is, in the main, made up of items of Irish interest, in which Henry Franklin will contribute a violin recital of Irish airs, all taken from Bunting's Volume, 1840. Edward Bunting, distinguished as a collector of Irish folk melody, was born in Armagh in 1773, and died in Dublin in 1843. He published three collections of Irish music. His first and second collections are said to contain the best Irish airs, and the third, from which Mr. Franklin has compiled his programme, contains some very good ones and some very curious.

Northern Ireland has arranged an Irish ballad concert, in which some of quite the most lovely songs in this category will be sung. The vocalists are Afric McGinley (mezzo-soprano), Mary Duffy (contralto), Fred C. Hughes (tenor) and Harry Sharpe (baritone). Stanford and Herbert Hughes are represented for the most part in the programme, which also includes "The Fairy Tales of

YESTERDAY IN THE LAW COURTS

NEW STAGE IN WILL SUIT

RELEASES FROM INDEMNITIES

PRESENT POSITION TO BE CONSIDERED

THE cross-examination of Mrs. White, of Lough Eske, Donegal, was continued before Mr. Justice Meredith in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, on the resumed hearing of her action against Major Arnott, of Blackrock; Mrs. MacGillicuddy, of Youghal; Lady Brooke, of Celbridge, and Lady FitzGerald Arnott, of Blackrock.

Mrs. White is seeking to have the trusts of the will of the late [illegible] John Arnott in relation to a legacy of £66[illegible] executed under the direction of the Court, [illegible] alleging breach of trust by the defendants.

The defendants deny the alleged breach of trust.

Mr. Price, K.C., Mr. Overend, K.C., and Mr. Monks (instructed by Messrs. Bennett Thompson and Edwards) appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Michael J. Ryan, K.C., Mr. Chadwick, K.C., and Mr. Vaughan Wilson (instructed by Messrs. O'Connor and Dudley and Messrs. J. L. Keane and Son) for Major Arnott and Mrs. MacGillicuddy, and Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Chadwick, K.C., and Mr. Vaughan Wilson (instructed by Messrs. O'Connor and Dudley) for Lady Brooke and Lady FitzGerald Arnott.

Mr. Jellett read correspondence to Mrs. White regarding liabilities in releases of 1909 and 1918, and asked her was she aware that her brother, Major Arnott, had no more to say to the insertion of the indemnity clauses than she had.

Mrs. White replied that she did not know anything about it.

Mr. Justice Meredith asked Mrs. White had Major Arnott ever disclaimed liability for putting in these liabilities.

Mrs. White—I cannot remember.

Mr. Jellett—I am not surprised, after the lapse of all these years.

"If," asked Mr. Jellett, "you had got a release from the indemnities, you were willing to confirm the two deeds, but you refused to give a further release which would not cover the period from 1918 to 1922?"

"Yes," answered Mrs. White.

VALUE OF SECURITIES

Mr. Jellett—Are you aware that at the end of that period, 1922, when the securities were lodged in the Provincial Bank—where they have been ever since—by Major Arnott, the total amount was valued on that date, 3rd August, 1922, at £24,346?—I cannot say.

Were you also aware that the value of securities set out in the schedule of the deed of 1918 was £22,145, so that the position, as regards the trust fund, was that it had been improved by some couple of thousand pounds between 1918 and 1922; you were not aware of that?

Mrs. White said that she had been told that it would have been illegal to give a release unless they had an account.

Mr. Jellett—Am I right in saying that you, and you alone, are the only one of the seven children of your mother who has challenged this trust fund and its administration?

Mr. Price objected to this question.

Mr. Jellett—Did you ever hear that any one of your brothers or sisters had ever challenged the administration of this trust fund?—We talked about the liabilities.

Mr. Justice Meredith—As a matter of fact, did any of your brothers or sisters suggest bringing proceedings?—No.

Mr. Jellett—What I asked you was—are you the only member of the family that has challenged the administration of this trust?—I do not know what the others have done.

Mrs. White, in further cross-examination, said that she did not often see her brothers and sisters during the years referred to.

Mr. Justice Meredith—You do not seem to be very clannish.

Mr. Jellett asked Mrs. White did she now suggest that in signing the deeds of 1909 and 1918 she was in any way influenced by what was in them.

Mrs. White—No; I suppose I was told to sign the deeds, and I did; that the others had signed, and I did.

"What is your complaint against Lady Brooke?" asked Mr. Jellett.

Mrs. White—I have not any.

Mr. Jellett—What is your complaint against Mrs. MacGillicuddy?—None.

LIABILITIES

What do you expect to get out of this action if you win it?—I do hope I will not have any liabilities.

That is all you care about?—I would be pleased if I had no liabilities.

This concluded the cross-examination of Mrs. White, and the next witness called was her husband, Major White.

Major White was examined by Mr. Monks, and, in the course of his evidence, he said that the end of October, 1932, was the first time that he ever saw the deeds. At an interview in November, 1932, Major Arnott refused to give him any information whatever about them.

The witness gave details of interviews with solicitors in regard to the deeds. "Mrs. MacGillicuddy," he said, "gave us every assistance in her power. Without her, we could have found out nothing."

Cross-examined by Mr. Chadwick, he said that he did not think that his wife mentioned the deeds in her letters to him while he was on active service in South Africa during the war, but, he added, it took a letter about a month to reach him, and fifty per cent. of the letters were sunk in the Mediterranean. (Laughter.) He scarcely knew Lady Arnott before 1932, but he always liked her when he saw her. She never told him about her losses on the stock exchange, but he knew that she had a craze for the stock exchange.

Mr. Chadwick asked the witness would it not be a remarkable thing that, among the members of the family, Mrs. White was the only one who did not know that the trust funds had been handed over to Lady Arnott, and that there had been losses in them.

Witness—She did not know it. I never heard of it. We were never on very friendly terms with any of them.

Questioned about a house party at which Mr. Maxwell Arrott was present in the summer of 1912, the witness denied that Mr. Maxwell Arnott then told him about the handing over of the trust fund to Lady Arnott, or that he told Mr. Maxwell Arnott that Major Arnott should be more firm with Lady Arnott. He had no idea that Lady Arnott had any control of the fund.

He believed that Major Arnott had told him that he himself had not been aware of the indemnities being put in the deeds until recently, but Major Arnott never told him that, in no circumstances, would he try to enforce the indemnities. On the contrary, he had tried to do it.

INDEMNITIES

Mr. Chadwick—If you got rid of the indemnities, would you be satisfied?—As we have reached this stage, it is for counsel to decide now.

Do not you make it perfectly clear in letters written by you, and by Mrs. White, that the loss of this money means nothing to you?—We do not care two hoots about the loss of the money. It is the indemnities we want to get rid of.

Mr. Justice Meredith—When the case opened I wanted to know what the whole thing was about; and if the indemnities were not to be insisted on, it seemed to me the whole question was what the parties wanted to get.

From the very start, said Mr. Justice Meredith, he wondered what on earth the case was going on for if the indemnities were not to be insisted on.

Mr. Jellett said then, that he would be very glad if Mr. Justice Meredith would give him an opportunity to consider the position with his clients, and he would have to ask the Court to rise, so that he could review the situation as it now stood.

The Court then rose.

Rupture—A "Blake" Truss, with air cushion pad, gives relief and support. From 5s. Elastic Stockings from 4s. each.—Blake's Medical Stores, 20 Upper Liffey street.—(Advt.)

PERSONAL INJURY ACTIONS

FOUR SETTLEMENTS ANNOUNCED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

A settlement was received and made a rule of Court in an action, in which James Berry, a minor, suing by his father, Charles Berry, 60 Townsend street, Dublin, claimed damages for personal injuries from Joseph O'Neill, 122 Iveragh road, Drumcondra, Dublin, when he was knocked down by the defendant's motor car.

Mr. Charles S. Campbell, K.C., with whom was Mr. Patrick Bourke (instructed by Mr. J. Cornelius Ruttledge), for the plaintiff, said that the minor was fourteen years of age, and was carrying a bag across Townsend street on the 24th December last, when he was knocked down by the defendant's motor car and rather seriously injured. The defendant had offered to pay the plaintiff £400 and taxed costs, and in view of the plea of contributory negligence by the defendant he and Mr. Bourke were satisfied that this offer should be accepted in the interests of the minor.

Mr. Justice Sullivan, accepting the settlement and making it a rule of Court, directed that £100 be paid out for the payment of hospital expenses, and the balance be invested for the benefit of the minor.

Messrs. A. Cox and Co. were solicitors for the defendant.

WIDOW'S CLAIM

There was also settled in the same court the action, in which Mrs. Annie O'Leary, late of Usher's quay, Dublin, and now of Sweetman's avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin, claimed damages from Michael J. Fitzpatrick, building contractor, 100 Pearse street, Dublin, for the death of her husband, Timothy O'Leary, who died following injuries received when he was knocked down by a motor car, the property of the defendant, and driven by the defendant. O'Leary was a moulder employed in the College of Science, and was crossing the road at Usher's quay on the 4th December last, when the accident occurred, and he died on the same day from his injuries in Steevens's Hospital.

The plaintiff sued on her own behalf, and on behalf of her own step-children and the late Timothy O'Leary's step-children, both having been married previously. The defendant did not deny negligence.

The settlement provided for the payment of £925 by way of damages, and a jury apportioned them as follows: £825 to the widow, £15 to Albert Bannister, £35 to Annie Bannister, and £50 to Mrs. Mary Finn, the step-children. Judgment was entered accordingly.

Mr. Geoghegan, K.C.; Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. W. G. Fallon (instructed by Mr. J. J. Shell) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Roe, K.C., and Mr. P. Nugent (instructed by Mr. P. F. O'Reilly) for the defendant.

MOTOR AND CART COLLISION

Mr. Justice Sullivan also received a settlement and made it a rule of Court in an action for personal injuries, in which the plaintiff was Thomas Dinneen, Ballintober, Ballinhassig, County Cork, a farmer, and the defendant, Timothy J. Mehigan, The Castle road, Bandon, insurance inspector. The plaintiff claimed damages for personal injuries received when the defendant's motor car collided with a horse and cart which he was driving at White Cross road, Ballinhassig, on 24th May of last year. The settlement provided for the payment of £1,300 and costs.

Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C.; Mr. M. Binchy, K.C., and Mr. J. Kavanagh (instructed by Mr. J. Neville) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C.; Mr. William Black, K.C., and Mr. J. O'Leary (instructed by Messrs. Little, O hUadhaigh and Proud) for the defendant.

MINOR'S INJURIES

The action was also settled before Mr. Justice Sullivan in which Thomas Corcoran, a minor, suing by his father, Philip Corcoran, 26 St. Kevin's square, Bray, County Wicklow, claimed damages for personal injuries from Edith E. Harrison, Collon, Drogheda.

Mr. Walter Molony, who, with Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Cullen and O'Beirne) appeared for the plaintiff, said that the settlement provided for the payment by the defendant of £265 and a measured sum for costs. He was satisfied that the arrangement was for the benefit of the minor plaintiff, and asked that the money be lodged in Court to the credit of the minor, who was knocked down by the defendant's motor car while crossing the road at Queensferry road, Bray.

Mr. Justice Sullivan made the settlement a rule of Court.

Messrs. Little, O hUadhaigh and Proud were the solicitors for the defendant.

COUNTY CORK ACCIDENT

DAMAGES ASSESSED AT £2,500

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE AND A JURY.)

The hearing was concluded of an action of Joseph Lannin, grocer, baker and draper, Gillabbey street, Cork, against Jeremiah O'Sullivan, motor mechanic, Pouladuff road, Cork, for damages for personal injuries sustained by the plaintiff owing to the alleged negligence of the defendant in the driving of a motor car, his property, on the Carrigrohane road on the night of the 5th December last.

The defence was a denial of negligence, and a plea of contributory negligence on the part of the plaintiff.

Mr. A. E. Wood, K.C.; Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. Gearoid O'Sullivan (instructed by Messrs. J. Travers Wolfe and Co.) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C.; Mr. Brereton Barry, K.C., and Mr. Corbett (instructed by Messrs. W. G. Bradley and Sons) for the defendant.

The only question in the case, said Mr. Wood, was one of damages. His client was returning to Cork from a "hiking" expedition with a friend named William Dalton late at night, when he was knocked down by the defendant's car and sustained very serious injuries.

Mr. FitzGerald, for the defence, said that the plaintiff and his companion were walking on the public road at the time of the accident, and, in avoiding a car which was approaching, the defendant struck the plaintiff with his car.

The jury assessed damages at £2,500, and judgment was entered for the plaintiff accordingly.

PROFITS FROM STUD FEES

APPEAL IN SUPREME COURT

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The Cloghran Stud Farm Company, County Dublin, appealed from a decision of the High Court dismissing their appeal by way of a case stated under the Income Tax Act, 1918, from a decision of the Commissioners, for the special purposes of the Income Tax Acts, holding that the profits from the fees payable in respect of the services of the famous stallion, Blandford, should be assessed under Schedule D of the Income Tax Acts.

In the case stated the appellants contended that, following a decision of the House of Lords to the effect that the occupation of the land being for the purposes of a stud farm, the use of the stallion was not separable from the purpose of the occupation, and that

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DETAILED EVIDENCE BY POLICE WITNESSES

IDENTIFICATION PARADE IN MULLINGAR

FOURTH DAY OF LISARD MURDER TRIAL

THE greater part of the proceedings in Green street Courthouse yesterday was occupied by evidence regarding the identification parade held at Mullingar subsequent to the shooting of Richard More O'Ferrall at Lisard House, Edgeworthstown, on 9th February last.

Police witnesses also described the arrests of the accused men, and members of the Longford band gave evidence regarding the disappearance of old police caps from the band room.

COUNSEL'S APPLICATION

The prisoners in the dock at the Central Criminal Court are:—John Reynolds and James Joseph Reynolds (a farmer's sons), John Shanley (garage proprietor), all of Dromod, County Leitrim, and William Mulligan (carpenter), Longford town.

Counsel in the case are:—For the Attorney-General, Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. Kevin Haugh (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor); for the prisoners Shanley and John Reynolds, Mr. A. Lynn, and for the prisoners, Mulligan and James Reynolds, Mr. Art O'Connor (both defending counsel instructed by Mr. George P. Hogan).

When yesterday's hearing began, Mr. Lynn applied to have certain "station guard books" lodged in Court, until the cross-examination of police witnesses had been completed.

"It has been alleged that we drove in a car through Dromod, Newtownforbes, Longford, along some way in the direction of Edgeworthstown, and on to Lisard House; that we drove from the house, joined the Longford road at some point and passed through Longford, Newtownforbes, Rooskey, Dromod and on to Carrick-on-Shannon. We want to show that on the police testimony that would be impossible."

He asked for the records of 9th February of the guard barracks at all the towns mentioned.

The judge said that he would enable the defence to have the books produced if necessary; but he would not go further than that.

MADE NO REPLY

Superintendent Patrick Glynn (Mullingar) said that on the 3rd April, the four accused men were brought to Mullingar Barrack. He described minutely the circumstances at an identification parade held that day. The nine local men who were put with the accused men came from the same positions in life, were similarly dressed, and of about the same ages and height. None of the witnesses saw, before the parade, any of the prisoners, who were in the cells before they arrived, or any of the local men, who were in a seperate room.

The witness asked the prisoners three times, before the parade, for their names and addresses; they did not answer. They made no reply when he asked them if they had any objection to the composition of the parade, and invited them to take up whatever positions in the parade they liked. He repeated the invitation to the four men to take up any positions that they wished before each witness came to the parade.

Before the parade began the witness had asked the accused men and the others to put on Guard caps and coats, of which thirteen sets were provided in the room. The local men began to do this, but the prisoners made no move, and the witness thereupon directed the local men to take off the uniform.

When the parade began, therefore, all thirteen men were in civilian clothes. The witness warned the prisoners that the witnesses who would be brought in were there to identify persons in connection with the Lisard murder.

The first witness brought in was Mr. Gerald More O'Ferrall, father of Richard.

On his second time of passing along the line of men, Mr. More O'Ferrall stopped opposite the prisoner Mulligan.

"I have made an exact note of his words," said the Superintendent. "He said: 'I think I have seen that man before. I think I saw him in my diningroom.'

"I asked him: 'When?'

"His answer was: 'On the night of the 9th February.'"

PARADE INCIDENTS

Mr. Maguire—Who was the next person brought into the room?—Miss Marjorie More O'Ferrall.

The Superintendent described how the young woman surveyed the parade for a time, then went along the line, asking some of them to remove caps and hats. John Reynolds would not remove his cap, and it was removed by Sergeant Duffy at the witness's direction. Miss More O'Ferrall went along the line a second time.

"About half-way she sort of stepped back a little and looked at them for a moment or two, and then stepped in towards William Mulligan and said: 'Open your mouth, please.' Mulligan tightened his lips instead.

"I said I had no authority to do anything about this.

"She then stepped back and pointed at the first four, and said, 'I identify those four men.'

"I told her that she would have to identify them individually. She then identified No. 1, saying: 'I saw that man in my father's house on the night of the raid at Lisard. That is the man who was struggling with my brother.'

"She then went to No. 2 and said, 'I saw him at Lisard on the night of the raid.' That was James Joseph Reynolds.

"Miss More O'Ferrall then laid her hand on No. 3, John Reynolds, and she said, 'This is the man, I think, that shot my brother.'

"About No 4, Wm. Mulligan, she said, 'I saw this man also at Lisard the night of the raid.'"

The Superintendent said that Miss Pauline Webster next came to the parade.

"She stepped back a little from No. 1 and said, 'I saw this man in the diningroom at Lisard on Saturday night, 9th February.' That was Shanley. Then Miss Webster went to No. 3, John Reynolds, and pointed to him. 'I saw him in the diningroom on the same night at Lisard.' She stepped back, looked twice, right and left, and pointed at No. 3, James Joseph Reynolds, and said, 'This is another man I saw on that night.'

"Miss Webster looked at No. 8 and said, 'I think, but I am not quite certain, that I have seen this man at Lisard.' That man was a local man, Patrick Hart."

The Superintendent said that Mrs. More O'Ferrall, senior, was the next witness at the parade.

A REMARK

"She stopped opposite No. 3, John Reynolds. She appeared to be looking at him closely, and he made a remark that I remember distinctly, 'Have a good look at me,' and he turned his head left and right. She did not speak to him at all, but turned to me and said, 'I have seen that man at Lisard, in the diningroom, when we were at dinner on the night of the 9th February. He is the man, I think, that wounded my son.'

"When Mrs. More O'Ferrall reached No. 6, Edward Perry, a local man, she said: 'I think this was one of the men that I have seen.' I said: 'Was it on the same occasion?'

"She said: 'Yes; he came racing in, but with lamplight people look different, and they had on uniforms that night.'"

The Superintendent said that the maid, Mary Feeley, who came next, did not look at them in detail like the other witnesses. She said: "I don't think I have seen any of them before." She only walked partly along the line of men.

"Mr. Scott, who came next to the identification parade, walked along the whole line, and said: 'I cannot remember seeing any of them before.'"

Of the next witness, the yardman, Coyne, the Superintendent said: "I think he did it rather hastily. He looked along the line and said: 'There is not a man here resembles the one I saw.'"

Mr. Maguire—Did he move along the line or examine closely?—He did not.

The Superintendent further said that none of the accused men raised any objection to what the witness said or directed during the parade. Shanley and J. J. Reynolds, however, made several remarks and carried on what was more or less a running commentary on the latter part of the parade.

"After Mary Feeley had said that she did not recognise anyone, J. J. Reynolds used the expression that 'Imperialist dirt can be bought.'"

Examined by Mr. O'Connor, the witness said that he had some difficulty in getting suitable local men for the parade, because it was a half-day in Mullingar and there was a local point-to-point meeting being held. He had to send out four Guards. The attitude of the prisoners throughout the parade was one of non-recognition.

With regard to Mrs. More O'Ferrall, the Superintendent said: "She was not in the same condition as the other witnesses, and seemed to be about to cry when she identified John Reynolds. She seemed to be in that condition when she was pointing out No. 6 (a local man).

Mr. O'Connor—Going to cry almost suggests being neurotic?

The Superintendent—I don't think there is any association between the two.

SUPERINTENDENT'S IMPRESSION

About the yardman, Coyne, the Superintendent said: "My impression of Coyne was that he did not make any attempt to identify anyone."

Answering questions by Mr. Lynn in regard to the red hair of the accused man, John Reynolds, the Superintendent said that the two men who seemed to have similar hair on the parade were William Bennett and Patrick Hart. These men were called from the public gallery of the Court and exhibited, amid some little stir.

The Superintendent added that the men were all wearing caps at the parade, and what could be seen of their hair at the sides seemed similar.

He denied any possibility of any of the identifying witnesses having seen the prisoners before the parade of any Court. "Shanley remarked to me after the parade," said the Superintendent, "that 'you treated us fairly, not like Finnegan.'"

Sergeant Thomas Duffy (Mullingar) corroborated regarding the identification parade.

He added that when Miss Webster identified No. 8 on the parade (a Mullingar man, not one of those accused) J. J. Reynolds said to Shanley "That will take the harm out of it."

Superintendent Patrick J. Finnegan corroborated regarding the circumstances of the identification parade. He said that after the maid, Mary Feeley, said that she could not identify any person, J. J. Reynolds remarked: "You cannot buy the poor Irish. Imperialist dirt can be bought."

THE ARRESTS

He said that he arrested the four accused men on the 1st April—three at Carrick-on-Shannon Police Barracks and Mulligan at Longford.

Upon being charged with murder and conspiracy, Mulligan said: "I know nothing about them," and Shanley said: "It is a complete frame-up." The others made no statement. The three men arrested at Carrick-on-Shannon were taken before the District Justice, and an order for transmission to Longford was granted. There was nobody present except the Justice, police and journalists. All four were, at Longford on the same day, brought before a special Court and remanded. Again, only the police and journalists were present in court.

To a question from the judge later, the witness said he had not had time to read the newspapers since the Lisard murder occurred.

To Mr. O'Connor, he said that he was not interested in whether the newspapers represented him fairly or unfairly.

The Judge—I should say, from my own experience, that the case he was interested in, was the one he was least likely to read.

The Superintendent—I have read nothing of what has happened in Green street since this case began.

Further, in reply to Mr. O'Connor, the Superintendent denied that he had made "some ugly remark" to a prisoner, or struck him, before the man was charged. It was incorrect to suggest that when he came to the word "murder" in the charge, he said to John Reynolds: "Do you hear that?"

Mr. O'Connor produced copies of the *Irish Times* and *Independent* of 2nd April, and showed the reports of the Longford District Court hearing.

The Superintendent would not say definitely if he had read the latter paper's report; he had not seen the former.

To Mr. Lynn, the Superintendent answered that it was correct that a number of young people had gathered outside the Longford Court, cheered the prisoners, and cried "Long live the Republic!" He had not previously meant to suggest to the jury that no person could have seen the prisoners, at their Court appearances, except the police and journalists. In the course of his investigations, he took 250 statements.

To Mr. Maguire, re-examining, the Superintendent said that neither at Longford nor Carrick-on-Shannon, was any member of the More-O'Ferrall family present, or in the neighbourhood, when the accused men were at Court.

Mr. Lynn asked the witness if it would be impossible for any member of the family to visit Longford or Carrick-on-Shannon without his knowledge.

The Superintendent—I would know it beforehand since the murder.

"IN PERFECT ORDER"

Guard McGrath, a firearms expert, of police headquarters, gave evidence that the .32 Colt revolver found in the More O'Ferrall's diningroom was in perfect working order, and that the six cartridges in it were in order also. He said that a bullet found in the room had been fired from a .45 Webley revolver.

William Adair said that he had until recently been bandmaster of the St. Patrick's Fife and Drum Band, Longford. He identified one of the police caps found near the scene of the shooting as one that he had worn himself as bandmaster. His cap had been kept in the Longford bandroom, and he last saw it at a parade last October. There were two other caps in the bandroom, and no person had authority to take them. On the 10th February last his cap and the others had disappeared, and only their white covers remained. There were sixteen or eighteen other men in the band, all wearing the same type of discarded Guard caps.

On the night of 8th February, between 11.30 and 11.48 p.m., he found the shutters of the window of the bandroom lying open.

George Allen (Longford) said that he garaged his car in the store used as the local bandroom. When he put his car in the store between 9.30 and 10 p.m. on the 8th February the window shutters were closed.

Patrick Martin, a member of the Longford band, said that he put a cap which had belonged to the band into the box in the bandroom last October. It had been picked up after a parade by the band at Dromlish.

Sergeant T. Sheehan identified the caps in court as having been given to the band when it was being organised three years ago. When he visited the bandroom on 10th February last the window shutters were open, and there were no band caps in the place.

The sergeant was handed copies of the three Dublin morning papers dated 2nd April, but said that he could not state definitely if he had read any of them before.

Sergeant Brian MacBride, similarly questioned about the papers, said that he had not read any papers at that period.

COAT AND CAPS

Patrick Forde (Ballinalee) said that a Guard gave him a police waterproof overcoat in 1933, and when he was at a dance two months before the shooting it disappeared.

Guard M Lang (Ballinalee) identified the coat as the one that he gave Forde.

Guard Charles Cassidy said that he was on duty in the street of Newtownforbes at about 9.45 p.m. on the 9th February last, when a car passed through from Longford, in the direction of Sligo.

"It was a fairly large car, of a dark colour, and it had no rear light.

"At Longford barracks on the 6th April I saw a car, I H 1924, and it appeared to resemble the car I had seen pass that night."

Cross-examined, the Guard said that at the time the car passed he was interrogating some tinkers who had been making a disturbance in the street. He judged the time because it was about fifteen minutes after the 9.30 train had left the village. He was not aware that the train times had been changed.

Detective-Officer J. Preston (Dromod) said that he met the accused man, Shanley, at 6.30 p.m. on the night of the shooting. Shanley was to have driven the witness on business, but said that he had to go to Carrick instead. The witness had made his engagement with Shanley on the preceding Thursday.

Shanley had in his garage a car, I H 1924. To Mr. Lynn, the witness said that it was Shanley who fixed Saturday for the meeting. The car I H 1924 was actually owned by a Mr. Coogan, though it was in Shanley's garage.

The Court adjourned until 11 o'clock this morning.

LISTOWEL SWORN INQUIRY

COUNCILLOR'S PROTEST

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LISTOWEL, Thursday.

At a meeting of Listowel Urban Councillors to-day, at the Plaza, Mr. T. J. Sugrue, Chairman, presiding, the proposed inquiry, to be conducted by Mr. J. McLysaght, Local Government inspector, into the performance by the Council of their duties, was severely criticised.

On the proposition of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Barrett, a resolution was unanimously adopted protesting against the inquiry, and "urging President de Valera to restrain this attempt by an autocratic bureaucracy to usurp democratic government, and to require a public statement from the Department of the reasons for the inquiry, and to secure that, if this inquiry is held, the terms of reference will permit investigations of the actions of the Department relative to the Council in the years 1928 to 1934, and that Mr. E. P. McCarron, Secretary, Local Government Department, attend the inquiry for examination.

DISTRICT JUSTICE'S CRITICISM

SERVICE OF NOTICES TO QUIT

Severe criticism of the lax manner in which notices to quit were served on tenants of Dun Laoghaire Corporation houses was made by District Justice Cussen in the local District Court yesterday.

A rent collector, Fletcher Warren, who appeared in several cases remarked in one case that he had served notice to quit on the defendant's wife.

Mr. Cussen said that he found in many such cases that husbands were unaware that rent was due until the Sheriff's officer arrived at the house. He considered that the notices to quit should be served on the husband, and he directed that the collector should see the defendant personally.

In another case the defendant, a woman, said that notice to quit was not served upon her; she was out one day, and when she got home she found the notice on the kitchen table.

The rent collector said that there was nobody in the house, so he left the notice on the table.

Mr. Cussen—Do you call that service? The position of these tenants is very serious. This man could not swear that he served the notice to quit. I have found the same slackness in another district that I find here now. The tenants are entitled to the protection of the Court, and they will get it.

Subsequently Mr. Warren told the District Justice that the Borough Manager, Mr. P. J. Hernon, signed the notice to quit forms in blank before the details were inserted.

Mr. Cussen said that the Borough Manager did not sign a notice to quit when he signed a blank form—he just signed a sheet of paper.

The case was dismissed.

CLAIM FOR EXCESS RENTS

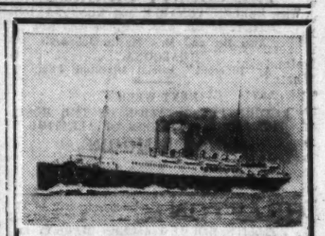
BARRED AFTER TWO YEARS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT,

CORK, Thursday.

Giving judgment in a case under the Rent Restriction Act here to-day, Judge O'Donnell said that the Act was passed to meet an emergency, and a tenant who wished to recover any payments made by him in excess of those permitted by the Act should not sleep on his rights. The Act enabled a tenant to break a contract which he made with his landlord and to have a new rent fixed according to Statute. He could also recover payments made under his contract in excess of those permitted by the Statute, but the tenant should seek to recover these excess payments within reasonable time. To wait for a period of twenty years when the original lessor might have died or otherwise dealt with his property seemed wholly inequitable, and on all grounds he held that the period of limitation for recovery of excess payments is two years. "This point is very important," added Judge O'Donnell, "and I trust the matter will be carried further for fuller argument and binding decision."

In another standard rent case he held that the personal representative—either widow or assignee—was not entitled to recover excess rent paid, and that this could only be recovered by the person who had paid it.



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RAILWAY SHOPS' WAGES

Mr. William Scott, Chairman, Dublin Trades Union Council, presided at a meeting of the representatives of the unions having members in the Great Southern Railways' shops yesterday. The meeting had under consideration the working conditions in the engineering shops. It was decided that a conference of all the affiliated unions concerned would be held in the Labour Hall, 44 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, on Sunday next. It will be remembered that the unions have made application to the company for the restoration of the ten per cent. deduction from earnings which has been in operation for some years past.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — Matins at 10 a.m. Psalm, 25. Jubilate, 32. Litany. Hymn, 521. Evensong at 4 o'clock. Unaccompanied Service. Psalm, 27. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Whitfield in E. Anthem, "Incline Thine ear," Himmel.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Hymn, 520. Litany. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. Rogers in D. Anthem, "O praise the Lord," Weldon.

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I have been fairly rude at times about that "lovely mellow tone" which is so often an "alias" for bad reproduction. But I have to admit that many people who are not very critical do not find it unpleasant when they are listening to musical items. But even *they* will agree that the reproduction of speech is not all it could be. That is because a speech test in some ways is much more exacting. When you go to buy a wireless set, be sure to hear a demonstration with speech as well as music; and listen for two things:

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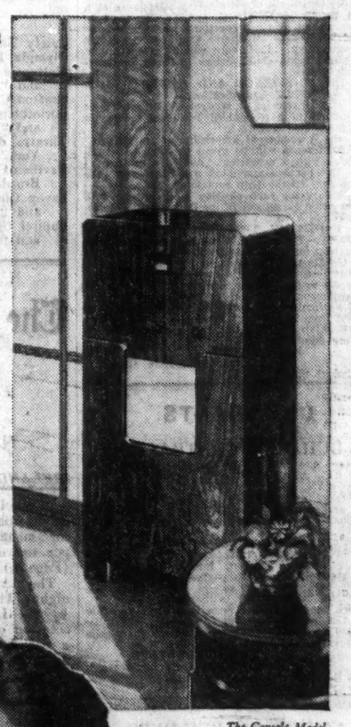
Frank Murphy



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the fees for his services were not taxable under Section D.

The High Court held that it was a matter for decision by the Supreme Court, as the facts were identical with those of the case of McLoughlin v. Bailey, in which it was decided by the Court of Appeal in Ireland that the fees received for the services of a stallion from outsiders were liable under Schedule D of the Income Tax Acts. The appellants now asked that the order of the High Court should be discharged and that the assessment made upon the appellants should be set aside.

Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. J. J. Walsh (instructed by Messrs. Carton, O'Meara and Kieran) appeared for the appellants; and Mr. McCann, K.C., and Mr. Geraghty (instructed by Mr. B. Collins, Revenue solicitor) for the respondent, the Inspector of Taxes.

The arguments had not concluded when the hearing was adjourned until next Monday.

(LEGAL DIARY IS IN PAGE 4.)

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE
6.45 ... TWICE NIGHTLY ... 9.0
THE FAVOURITE RADIO STAR,
ANN PENN.
BYRON and BYRON, PEEL and LITTLE, TERRY YORKE and TERRY, THE 2 BELLS, MARCELLA, MARJORIE GILMORE.
THE THREE VIRGINIANS,
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CONTINUOUS ..... 2.0 to 11.0 p.m.
WILL ROGERS in
"THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN."
With EVELYN VENABLE and KENT TAYLOR.
DAILY, at 2.0, 4.35, 7.6 and 9.39 p.m.
Also Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson's
"BABOONA."
A "Different" Animal Adventure Film.
NEXT WEEK:
RETURN PRESENTATION OF THE MOST SPECTACULAR SUCCESS OF ALL TIME,
GRACE MOORE,
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GRAFTON Continuous from 2 to 11. Daily at 2.25, 4.50, 7.10, 9.35
PHILLIPS HOLMES, AILEEN MARSON in
"TEN MINUTE ALIBI,"
Anthony Armstrong's Two-year-run Stage Success.

CORINTHIAN
CONTINUOUS ..... 2.30 TILL 11.0 P.M.
MONA BARRIE and JOHN HALLIDAY in
"MYSTERY WOMAN."
Also TOM BROWN and ANITA LOUISE in
"BACHELOR OF ARTS."
Next Week:
Carole Lombard, Walter Connolly, May Robson in
"LADY BY CHOICE."

THEATRE DE LUXE.
Dublin's Super Cinema -3 to 11—Camden St.
"IT HAPPENED IN NEW YORK."
Also GORDON HARKER in "THE LAD."

PUBLIC NOTICES.

G.F.S. COUNTRY FAIR AND FLOWER SHOW,
IN LORD IVEAGH'S GROUNDS
TO-DAY (FRIDAY) and SATURDAY.
OPENING CEREMONY 3 p.m.
FRESH VEGETABLES, EGGS, BUTTER, FOWL, CAKES, SWEETS, ETC.
ART and CHINA STALLS.
COME FOR THE WEEK-END MARKETING!
MUSIC, SIDE-SHOWS, SPORTS, MINIATURE GOLF.
DANCING ..... 8—11 p.m.
FAIR OPEN 12—10 p.m.
Entrance (6d.) Clonmel street.

A MIDSUMMER FETE
WILL BE HELD TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW AT
FRESCATI, BLACKROCK,
In aid of the funds of
CHRIST CHURCH, BLACKROCK.
THE ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN has kindly consented to Open the Fete at 3 p.m. To-day (Friday).
There are all the usual attractions, including a Band each day.

ROYAL NAVAL MEDICAL SERVICE.
Applications are invited for NINE VACANCIES, in SEPTEMBER, 1935, for MEDICAL OFFICERS in the Royal Navy.
Candidates must not be above the age of 28 years, and must be Registered under the Medical Acts. No examination in professional subjects will be held, but candidates will be required to attend for interview by a Selection Board.
Selected candidates will be entered for Service for a period of three years, in the first instance, which may be extended to five years at the discretion of the Admiralty.
At the end of three years' Service officers may retire with a gratuity of £400, but those who serve for five years will receive £1,000.
At the end of five years' Short Service, permanent commissions will be given to selected officers who wish to make the Naval Medical Service their permanent career.
Opportunities are available for officers on the permanent list to specialise, and ample provision is made for Post Graduate study.
Copies of the regulations for entry and conditions of Service, including rates of pay and allowances, may be obtained from the Medical Director-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.1, and from the Deans of all Medical Schools.
Applications for entry from intending candidates for the nine vacancies must be received not later than 31st JULY, 1935.

COISTE OIDEACHAIS GHAIRME BEATHA,
CO. CHILLE MANNTAIN.
(Co. Wicklow Vocational Education Committee).
TEACHERS WANTED,
The above Committee invites applications for the following Permanent, Whole-Time Posts from those holding the qualifications specified, i.e.:—
(1) ENGINEERING INSTRUCTOR.—Qualifications—(a) Certificate of satisfactory attendance at a Special Course in Metalwork and Engineering Subjects organised by the Department; or (b) Department's Full Course (Honours) Certificate in Motor Car Engineering. Preference will be given to candidates possessing qualifications to teach Continuation subjects.
(2) RURAL SCIENCE AND GENERAL SUBJECTS TEACHER.—Qualifications—
(a) Degree of a recognised University or Diploma of a recognised Technical College in Agricultural Science.
(b) A competent knowledge of oral Irish. Preference will be given to qualified candidates with a competent knowledge of Irish.
The persons appointed will require to take up duty on the 16th September, 1935.
Salary for each position in accordance with the scale as set out in the Department's Memorandum, V 7.
(3) PART-TIME TEACHER OF DOMESTIC ECONOMY.—The above Committee also requires applications for a position as Part-time Teacher of Domestic Economy to teach in Enniskerry on two nights per week, two hours each night, for approximately 30 weeks, at the remuneration of 4/6 per hour, commencing on 16th September next.
Full particulars and forms of application may be obtained from this office. Applications, with copies of testimonials, must be sent to the undersigned on or before 22nd July.
H. PAINTING,
Chief Executive Officer.
Technical School, Wicklow.

CONTRACTS.

TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.
Tenders are invited for the construction of a FACTORY AT CARRICKMACROSS, CO. CNTY MONAGHAN, for Messrs. Stedfast Shoes, Ltd.
Drawings and Specification, covering constructional and contingent works, may be inspected at the offices of the undersigned, during usual office hours.
Bills of Quantities and Form of Tender may be obtained on and after Tuesday, 9th July, from Mr. J. Graves Clayton, F.S.I., Surveyor, 32 Nassau street, Dublin, on payment of five guineas deposit, returnable on receipt of a bona fide tender not subsequently withdrawn.
Sealed tenders on the prescribed form, together with the priced bills of quantities, must be delivered to the undersigned not later than noon on Friday, the 19th July, 1935.
DELAP & WALLER,
Chartered Civil Engineers,
16 Molesworth street, Dublin.
3/7/'35.

DROICHEAD NUA TOWN COMMISSIONERS.
NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF HOUSES UNDER THE HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES ACTS.
The Droichead Nua Town Commissioners will, at a meeting to be held on Monday, 22nd July, 1935, consider Tenders from competent Contractors for the Erection of Ten Working-class Houses on Sites at the Old Military Barracks, Droichead Nua, Co. Kildare, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by A. K. Sargent, Esq., B.A., B.A.I., Engineer to the Commissioners.
Copies of plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Engineer at Kill, Co Kildare.
Each Tender must specify the names of two solvent sureties willing to join in a Bond of £1,000 for the due performance of the Contract.
The Contractor must pay all expenses in connection with the preparation and execution of, and Stamp Duty on, Contract and Bond.
Local Trades Union Labour to be employed and Trades Union conditions to be observed in the carrying out of the Contract.
Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Presiding Chairman, and endorsed "Tender for Houses," will be received by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock p.m. on day of meeting.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted, and the proposed acceptance of any Tender will be subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health.
JOHN KELLY, Town Clerk.
Town Commissioners' Office,
New Hall, Droichead Nua,
3rd July, 1935.

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Telephone No., 23062.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3.30 to 10.30.
EXCITING MURDER MYSTERY AT THE B.B.C.! PETER HADDON and BRILLIANT CAST, in
"DEATH AT BROADCASTING HOUSE."
At 4.15, 6.45 and 9.15. Comedy. Mickey Mouse, etc.
Monday—"THE MYSTERY OF MR. X."

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice of Sitting for Proof of Debts.—21.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
JAMES S. McMAHON, trading as JAMES S. McMAHON and CO., of 132 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Auctioneer, a Bankrupt.
A Public Sitting in this matter will be held before the Registrar at the Law Courts, Dublin, on Monday, the 15th day of July, 1935, at the hour of Eleven o'clock forenoon, for the Proof and Admission of Debts, and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.
A creditor may prove his debt at the sitting, or send his affidavit of debt in the prescribed form or his detailed account to the undernamed Official Assignee, four days previously to the sitting, in order to have the same admitted.
Dated this 4th day of July, 1935.
W. CONNELL, Bankruptcy Clerk.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, the Law Courts, Dublin.
ARTHUR COX, Solicitor for the Assignees, 42-3 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ANASTASIA SCULLY, late of Mountain View House, Kinmage, in the City of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
All persons having any claims against the estate of the above named Deceased, who died on the 18th day of June, 1935, will furnish particulars of same, in writing, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
Dated this 5th day of July, 1935.
REDDIN and REDDIN, Solicitors, 16 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

WEATHER FORECAST

General Inference.—A large anti-cyclone is centred off the south-west coasts, while pressure is low over Scandinavia. Weather will be fair, except for local showers in the north, and local drizzle in western districts.
Ireland.—Moderate or fresh west wind; mainly cloudy; local drizzle; rather close.
Irish Sea.—Fresh west wind; cloudy; local drizzle; sea moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Thermometers.—12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

June	Bar.	Thermometer. 1 emp. 9 a.m.	Max	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain m.m	Sun hour
28	30.404	63.7	71	59	54	S.W.	–	6.0
29	30.336	62.0	72	48	56	W.	0.4	12.6
30	30.232	55.2	70	48	56	E.S.E	–	8.8
July								
1	30.01	61.0	69	60	47	–	–	12.5
2	30.154	63.4	69	59	54	W.N.W.	0.13	1.1
3	30.211	64.1	68	56	52	W.S.W.	–	2.7
4	30.284	63.7	72.5	60.7	59	W.	trace	4.0

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5. 3	5. 4
Sets	9.55	9.54
Lighting-up Time	10.55	10.54

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

Morning	2.50	3.26
Evening	3.15	3.52

AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Belfast	2.18	2.28
Cork	9. 5	9.16
Drogheda	2.38	3. 3
Dundalk	2.33	3. 0
Galway	8.59	9. 9
Londonderry	11.40	—
Sligo	9.30	9.41
Waterford	10 8	10.24

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Dail—Leinster House, 10.30 a.m.
High Court—Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Circuit Courts—Chancery place, 11 a.m.
Central Criminal Court—Green street, 11 a.m.
Bray District Court—11 a.m.
Appeal Tribunal—23 Upper Merrion street, 11 a.m.
Synod of Kilmore, Cavan—12 noon.
Alexandra College, Dublin, "At Home"—4 p.m.
Dean's Grange Burial Board—4 p.m.

SPORT.

Rowing — Dublin Metropolitan Regatta, Islandbridge, 3 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—Variety.
Olympia Theatre—"Zippy," Revue.
Metropole Cinema—"The County Chairman" and "Baboona."
Grafton Cinema—"Ten Minute Alibi."
Corinthian Cinema — "Mystery Woman" and "Bachelor of Arts."
Theatre de Luxe—"It Happened in New York" and "The Lad."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Death at Broadcasting House."
Savoy Cinema — "Mala the Magnificent" and "Wise Little Hen."
Capitol Cinema — Baer v. Braddock Fight and "West of the Pecos."

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1935.

NEWS SUMMARY

IRELAND

In the Dail yesterday, during the debate on the Committee stage of the Finance Bill, an amendment to remove the duty of 5s. per ton on British coal was defeated.—(Page 8.)

The American programme in last night's Athlone radio included an address by the Lord Mayor of Dublin on the occasion of American Independence, and a reply by the United States Minister (Mr. A. M. Owsley).—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN

In the course of a statement on Mr. Lloyd George's charge that Britain had rejected Germany's offer to abolish submarines, Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell (First Lord of the Admiralty) yesterday quoted the official record of the Anglo-German naval conversations. Mr. Lloyd George, in a reply issued last night, maintained that his charge was true, and in support of it he quoted a statement from *The Scotsman* of June 26, which, he said, had not been contradicted.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Bellewstown yesterday Golden Dragon won the Crockafotha Plate, Delightful the King's Plate, Water Gipsy the Stewards' Plate, Drucetown the Shallon Plate, Little Ant the Leggan Hall Plate, and Miss Honor the Corporation Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Newmarket yesterday Bellacose won the July Cup.—(Page 10.)

At Carlisle Miss Richardson won the Carlisle Bell.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were easier on profit-taking sales. Gilt-edged Stocks were quiet. There were a few good spots among Industrials.—(Page 3.)

Gold fell 7d. to 140s. 11d. per ounce, and £483,000 was sold. Loans and discounts were steady.—(Page 3.)

Dublin Market was firm for Third Loan and Bank Stock. Guinness units were lower.—(Page 3.)

The French Court of Appeals yesterday raised the sentence passed on Araya Haili Selassi, a nephew of the Emperor of Abyssinia, for having bitten off the tip of his fiancé's nose. The sentence has been raised from one to two years' imprisonment. Araya declared in court that he bit his sweetheart "out of despair."

SAVOY.
SUMMER PRICES ..... 2/-, 1/6, 1/-.
THE SEASON'S SCREEN SENSATION.
"MALA THE MAGNIFICENT."
IT DARES TO BE DIFFERENT.
NOTHING LIKE IT EVER SEEN BEFORE!
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ALSO
"WISE LITTLE HEN."
WALT DISNEY COLOURED SYMPHONY.

CAPITOL.
THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE PICTURE OF THE WORLD'S HEAVY-WEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP,
BAER v. BRADDOCK.
FIFTEEN GRUELLING ROUNDS.
SHOWING at 2.15, 4.18, 6.21, 8.24, 10.27.
RICHARD DIX, in
"WEST OF THE PECOS."
SHOWING at 3.8, 5.11, 7.14 and 9.17.

Submarines

Mr. Lloyd George's return to the forefront of British politics a few weeks ago received a general welcome, if only because the people were anxious for a little liveliness in their political news. At the outset, however, he seems to have over-reached himself. During the past month, as our readers know, the British Government entered into a naval agreement with Germany, the essence of which is that Germany's total tonnage of warships never shall exceed 35 *per cent.* of the British Navy's tonnage. The understanding was that Germany, as far as possible, should observe the ratio for every class of naval vessel, with the exception of submarines, and that in the matter of submarines she should have liberty to possess up to 45 *per cent.* of the British tonnage—and, in certain circumstances, equality therewith. Hardly was the ink dry upon the agreement before Mr. Lloyd George had entered the field with a remarkable attack upon the British Government. Some days ago he ventured a broad hint that "Germany had offered to abolish submarines altogether, and we were not prepared to accept it." The charge—which was couched in the form of a question—was challenged at once by the First Lord of the Admiralty, who rendered what seems, on the face of it, to be a more plausible account of the Anglo-German attitude to submarines. Germany's representatives, said the First Lord, expressed their willingness to abolish submarines—provided that other countries would do the same thing. In other words, Mr. Lloyd George has transformed one of the vague commonplaces of all conversations on disarmament into a positive offer and refusal, and to some extent, in the First Lord's words, has made "a submerged attack on the Government which must tend to damage the credentials of this country in the eyes of the world."

After the Government's disclaimer, Mr. Lloyd George varied his tactics. He had definite information, he declared, that the Germans had offered to sign a clause promising that they would support Britain in any attempt to secure the abolition of submarines. Since no such clause appeared in the concluded agreement, it followed that Britain must have refused to sanction it, and was, presumably, in favour of submarine warfare. Mr. Lloyd George insists that the German delegates made such a suggestion, but the British declined to insert the clause on the ground that it might be resented by France as aimed at herself, the chief European champion of the submarine. In regard to the original charge the facts are, says Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell, that both Britain and Germany are equally desirous that submarines shall be abolished; and Germany has indicated that, if agreement can be reached on this happy objective, she will be prepared to scrap any submarines that she may possess, or have under construction, at the time. On the whole, the First Lord's account rings more genuinely than Mr. Lloyd George's. It is surely fantastic that Great Britain, of all nations, should be anxious for the continuance of submarines and submarine warfare. They are one of the deadliest menaces to her security—as the Great War proved abundantly—and for the purpose of her defence they are almost useless. If Mr. Lloyd George's charge had concerned battleships, cruisers or destroyers, it would be easy to understand a British refusal to treat with Germany; but the abolition of submarines is so enormously to her advantage that any objection to it on her part is inconceivable. Is Mr. Lloyd George's clearness of vision deserting him?

We hold no especial brief for the British Government. Its attitude towards disarmament, in all probability, is no more, and no less, disinterested or sincere than that of other Governments. Nevertheless, whatever the motive may be, it seems to be making a really earnest effort for the reduction of armaments. Most of the "formulæ" which have been submitted during the past five years have emanated from London; the present restrictions on naval building have been almost entirely due to her pleading, and only on one occasion—when her resistance had many arguments in its favour—has she opposed a practical suggestion for disarmament. The world's Press proclaimed, when Mr. Macdonald's Government announced its intention some months ago to increase the Royal Air Force, that Britain was leading the nations in a new "armaments race." The world's Press, we think, was wrong. Britain cannot hope to gain anything from another huge war—the almost inevitable consequence of re-armament; on the contrary, she stands to lose much, and an all-round reduction of armaments is the best possible safeguard of her eminence. Matters, however, had reached a stage at which Great Britain no longer could shut her eyes. Other nations were arming, and she, too, must re-arm. This morning's news reveals that the long-awaited war in the Far East has been brought a step closer by a further series of insolent demands by Japan on China. There is every likelihood that, when it begins, Russia will be embroiled—and who can say what other Powers may not be drawn with her into the maelstrom? Furthermore, Signor Mussolini manifestly is resolved to teach a lesson to Abyssinia; is there any certainty that the impending conflict will be confined to two nations? It is ironical that, after so many years of conference and conversations, the danger of a world war still should exist; but, while it exists, the best-intentioned Government cannot afford to neglect its armaments.

A Taxed Bible

In the *Dail* yesterday Professor Thrift, protesting against a Customs duty on any kind of books, described such a tax as "fundamentally objectionable and vexatious." As far as the Free State is concerned, he pointed out, the revenue return from the duty is small, the amount of employment which it gives is negligible, and it does little more than earn the State a reputation for lack of intelligence and culture. His remarks hold true for literature in general, but they gain a greater force when they are applied to the Free State's tax on Bibles and prayer-books. The Customs duty, which amounts to thirty *per cent.* is levied on all books which are imported for religious purposes—such as Bibles, prayer-books, missals and hymnals—and in the course of yesterday's debate the Opposition made fruitless efforts to have it taken off. It is to stay but to many people it will seem that Mr. Lemass has put forward no arguments strong enough to justify it. If a tax on ordinary books is objectionable, a tax of this kind is worse. It should not be imposed unless there really is a need for it; for it has been the custom of modern Christian States to give their people as free access to religious books as possible, and any measure that tends to hinder that access is to be avoided. The tendency of a Customs duty is to put up the price of the article—whether it can be made in the country or not—and a rise in the price of religious books, while it would not affect some people very severely, would bear heavily on the poor. Moreover, the effect on employment in the Free State is going to be very small. Mr. Lemass announced yesterday that some kinds of religious books can be both bound and printed here, but actually the Government seems to have abandoned any idea that its measure will give much help to the printing trade. A minute's reflection, indeed, shows that it could have little effect. No duty, however great, would give the Free State the resources which are needed before such a book as the Bible can be printed and published at a price within the means even of the moderately rich, while, as for versions in Greek or Latin, the problem would be even greater. If this part of the scheme is abandoned—as it must be—the duty resolves itself into an attempt to help the Free State bookbinders, and the means taken by the Government seem to be altogether too clumsy for the purpose. If the binding of religious books were likely to become an important industry there might be some excuse for the elaborate plan to import the printed sheets under licence and have them bound here. As a correspondent points out this morning, however, the import of these books is small, and the work involved in binding them is not likely to have very much effect on unemployment. At the most, the benefits brought by the duty will be far less than its disadvantages.

Anna Liffey

In the days when the Irish capital was firmly saddled with the epithets "dear" and "dirty," Anna Liffey was responsible for a good deal of the worse part of its reputation. The river, indeed, kept its charm intact up to the moment that it flowed past Kingsbridge, but from that point onwards it embarked on a rake's progress, and when it emerged into the sea it had come to the end of a journey which was a credit neither to itself nor to the city through which it had been pursued. Those days, fortunately, have passed. Dublin may not be as clean as some other towns, but, at least, dirtiness no longer is her main characteristic; and the Liffey, also, has reformed somewhat. Thirty years ago the most noticeable—and most unpleasant—feature of the river was due to the fact that all the sewage of the town was discharged into it, and the more modern system of the present day has brought about a great change for the better. At the same time, even the most fervent admirer of the Liffey hardly would maintain that it is a pleasant river at low tide, and there is much to be said for the suggestion, approved by the Lord Mayor at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, that it should be cleaned. He proposed that the work should be carried out as part of a relief scheme, and there is no doubt that many less useful tasks could be undertaken. The growth of seaweed on the river walls—though, according to one speaker, it is a welcome sign of the comparative purity of the water—is most unsightly, and its disappearance would be mourned by few. Even worse is the appearance of the mud flats which are exposed at low tide. They, alas! will remain in spite of every effort; but there is no reason why their natural ugliness should be increased by the collection of tin cans, dead dogs and old boots which encumbers them at present.

Night Music

Since the end of June has brought warmer days, cries of rage and execration have arisen in increasing volume from amateur gardeners all over the country. The cause is the seasonal activity of slugs and snails, which suddenly have descended in great numbers in all places where costly plants have been reared with great trouble, in order to loaf idly in their leaves and take an occasional bite when the pangs of hunger attack them. We sympathise with the sufferers, and wish all success to the powdered alum and the nasty mixture of salt and water with which they try to confound these pests. Their sufferings, however, must not blind us to the other trials of summer weather. Gardeners are not alone unhappy; they have the slugs, but the town dweller, with no garden at all, has a much more formidable enemy in the nocturnal musician. He is more formidable because, unlike the slug, he cannot be attacked by any simple means. Alum is useless, and he cannot conveniently be dropped into salt and water. To step heavily upon him—which is the most drastic treatment applied to slugs, and is adopted only by callous gardeners—is a course with much to recommend it, but the great strength of the musical nuisance lies in the fact that he is usually in the next house but two, and so is safe from assault. He has placed his wireless set firmly in his open window; he has turned it on at full strength; and, as the night is filled with music, a thousand cares flock round the haunted pillows of everyone within a hundred yards of him. One of the defects of our civilisation is that it has devoted itself so largely to instruments by which one thoughtless or selfish person can poison existence for a hundred inoffensive mortals in the vicinity who wish to sleep in peace. The gramophone and the wireless set are excellent things, but on these warm nights, when windows are open, the world would be a happier place if their owners would consider that they can be murderers of sleep.

GAME COVERTS BURNED

CLAIM FOR £1,100

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.
MANORHAMILTON, Thursday.

Before Judge Sheehy, at Manorhamilton Circuit Court to-day, Mrs. Charlotte La Touche Whyte, Greenawn, Dromahair, sued the Leitrim County Council for £1,100 for the malicious burning of game coverts and growing timber.

Francis Ignatius Whyte said that his attention was first drawn to a fire on a mountain about a quarter of a mile from his wife's property. He had the shooting rights rented on that mountain. With others, he put out that fire, and then noticed his wife's wood on fire. The wood belonging to his wife contained about twenty acres, and was an excellent game covert. It was completely destroyed. There were 625 trees destroyed, and 200 others of smaller size and a number of small oak trees. He estimated the damage at £417 10s. His shooting was worth £100 yearly, and he estimated the damage to the shooting at £25 a year for six or seven years.

Cross-examined by Mr. Kelly, K.C., for the defence, witness said that he had been a District Inspector of the R.I.C. at Manorhamilton, and was the last R.I.C. County Inspector of Kilkenny. There had been hostility shown to him by a family named McSharry and by McSharry's relations.

Patrick McSharry, Stonepark, had been charged with the burning, but informations were refused. The McSharrys had become so hostile that he threatened to summon some of them. Patrick McSharry said he would get even with witness yet for stopping his unemployment money.

Joseph Jackson said it would have been impossible for sparks to have been blown from the first fire to Mrs. Whyte's wood.

Thomas McSharry, employed by Mr. Whyte, swore that a dog belonging to his employer was poisoned and a cow injured.

Mr. Kelly, K.C., submitted there was no evidence of malice.

Claude Bouchier, land agent for the estate, estimated the total damage at £41.

The judge adjourned the further hearing of the case to Carrick-on-Shannon on Wednesday next.

A BISHOP TO RETIRE

DISTINGUISHED DUBLIN GRADUATE

The Bishop of Wellington, New Zealand (the Right Rev. Thomas Henry Sprott), yesterday announced his resignation, which will become effective at the end of January next.

The Right Rev. T. H. Sprott was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, where he had a very distinguished career, becoming Hebrew Prizeman. He obtained his B.A. degree in 1878 and Divinity Testimonium (1st Class) and Church Formularies Prize in the year 1879. He also took the degrees of M.A. (1882), B.D. and D.D. He was ordained in 1879, and became Curate of Holy Trinity, Kingston-on-Hull, where he remained until 1882. He went then to St. John the Evangelist, Waterloo road, London, and from 1886 until 1891 was minister of St. Barnabas', Auckland, and later Examining Chaplain to the Bishop of Auckland. From 1892 until 1911 he was Vicar of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Wellington, and Examining Chaplain to the Bishop of Wellington at the same time. He was then consecrated Bishop of Wellington. His publications include "Modern Study of the Old Testament and Inspirations (1909)."

THE BOYS' BRIGADE CAMP IN GERMANY

On Wednesday evening the 3rd Dublin Co. (St. Ann's Parish) and the 31st Dublin Co. (St. Kevin's Parish) departed from Kingsbridge Station for their annual camp, which is to take place this year in Germany. At Cork they were joined by the 2nd Cork Co. (Trinity United Presbyterian Church), and the whole party proceeded to Cove where they embarked on the North German Lloyd liner s.s. Columbus, which sailed for Bremerhaven yesterday morning. The camp will be at Wangerooge, off the coast of Germany, near Bremerhaven. The party will be accommodated in one of the many German Youth Hostels. All the members of the party are members of "An Oige"—the Irish Youth Hostel Association—and consequently have full facilities at any of the German Youth Hostels. The party will remain at Wangerooge for about a week, and it is hoped then to arrange a tour of Bremen, Hamburg and Berlin. The return journey will be made by the Hamburg-Amerika liner s.s. Deutschland, which will reach Cove on Saturday, 20th July.

IRISH NURSE DASHES INTO CAR

CORONER MYSTIFIED

The West Middlesex Coroner, Mr. R. Kemp, yesterday declared at an Ealing inquest that he could not imagine why a young nurse left her friend on the path at Greenford and dashed across the road into a car. The girl, Rose Ellen Farrelly (22), whose home is at Foxfield, County Leitrim, was a nurse at Hanwell Mental Hospital.

Miss Ivy Burberry, another nurse, said that she and Miss Farrelly were returning to the hospital at the time, and she could give no reason at all for Miss Farrelly's sudden dash.

Albert Grayson Spencer, of Hounslow, the motorist, said he swerved to avoid the girl. He saw her dash across the road, but could not give any reason for her action.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death, and exonerated the driver from blame.

BOAT'S ENGINE FAILS

RESCUE IN ROSSLARE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.
ROSSLARE, Thursday.

While operating about eight miles north-east of Rosslare Pier to-day the Wexford motor trawler Fairy Brae, owned by Mr. Swan, got into difficulties in a storm. Her engine failed and she was in danger of being swept out to sea when her plight was observed by another trawler, owned by Mr. John Lett, Wexford. An immediate dash was made to the disabled vessel's assistance, and by a skilful manœuvre in the heavy seas Skipper Lett got a line on board the Fairy Brae and took her in tow, bringing her safely to dock against wind and sea.

Herr Grebner von Schellert, Burgomaster of the Bavarian town of Neustadt, has been removed from his post by order of the Berlin Ministry of the Interior for trading with Jews.

COURT AND PERSONAL

The King, who has enjoyed the racing at Newmarket greatly, is still in residence in his rooms near the course, and will not leave till the end of the week, when His Majesty will motor to Mildenhall, Suffolk, to attend the R.A.F. Jubilee Review, and will take the Salute.

The Duke and Duchess of York attended the reception of the delegates to the Conference of the Empire Parliamentary Association, which was held at the Imperial Institute last night. The Duke received the teachers and student members of the Indian women's educational tour on Wednesday morning.

The Duke of Kent visited Hepburn-on-Tyne yesterday, and received the Honorary Degree of D.C.L. at the University of Durham, where he had a most enthusiastic reception.

ExQueen Victoria Eugenie of Spain has arrived on a visit to the Marchioness of Carisbrooke, having made the journey from Paris by aeroplane to Croydon Airport.

The Japanese Ambassador and Madame Matsudaira will leave London on Saturday for Japan, and will be away for some months. The Aga Khan has returned from Paris, and is staying in London. The Minister of the Netherlands and Madame de Marees Van Swinderen will leave London in the middle of this month for Scotland, where they are renting Dunkeld House from the Duke of Atholl. The Attorney-General of Australia, Mr. R. G. Menzies and Mrs. Menzies, have arrived from Melbourne, and are staying at Grosvenor House, Park Lane, London, where Sir Harold Austin, Speaker of the Barbados House of Assembly, with Lady and Miss Austin, have arrived this week.

The Earl and Countess of Strathmore and Kinghorne are leaving London shortly for Glamis Castle, where their son-in-law and daughter, Rear-Admiral the Hon. N. S. Leveson-Gower, and Lady Rose Leveson-Gower, have already arrived, and are in residence in the charming house they have in the Castle grounds.

Lady Goold-Adams sailed yesterday in the ss. Arundel Castle from Southampton for South Africa. Sir James and Lady Purves-Stewart will leave at the end of this month for a journey round the world, and will attend the medical congress in Melbourne in September. They expect to return to London early in November. The Hon. Alfred Anson has sailed in the ss. Aquitania for New York. Sir Edward Beatty is leaving for Canada on Saturday. Sir Charles Wright has left in the ss. Aquitania for New York.

The Duke of Norfolk will open the "World's Fair," which is being organised by a large committee to raise £15,000 to build new wards for Worthing Hospital. The Fair, in which many well-known people are assisting, will be held in Beach House Gardens, Worthing, on Thursday, July 11th.

Lady Maud Carnegie, the Duke and Duchess of Westminster, the Duchess of Norfolk, the Dowager Countess of Cawdor, Lady Annaly, Lady Burnett of Leys, Countess Bathurst, Lady Redesdale, the Countess of Limerick, and Miss Marie Pole-Carew, were among the visitors at the show of Highland Home Industries, which the Dowager Lady Glentanar is holding at her London house.

The marriage arranged between Desmond Forrester, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mayston, of 38 Highfield road, Rathgar, and Sheelah Muriel Joy, only daughter of the late G. W. Parker, M.A. (late T.C.D.), and Mrs. Parker, 12 Fortfield terrace, Dartry, will take place very quietly at the end of August.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place in September, between Harry, only son of the late Mr. J. P. Keogh, of Palmerston road, and Mrs. Keogh, 42 Merlyn Park, Ballsbridge, and Moya, daughter of Mr and Mrs. F. J. Manning, Greenmount House, Terenure.

Doctor Euphan Maxwell has left Dublin for one month.

Doctor V. M. Synge has left 29 Fitzwilliam place until early in August.

Doctor Drummond has left 22 Upper Fitzwilliam street for ten days.

Dr. Margaret Nicholson has left 24 Rathdown Park for a month.

Mr. F. J. Morrin has left town until August.

Mr. Harry Winder has left 36 Merrion square until July 22nd.

The Irish Moire Poplin Gown worn by Mrs Donal O'Sullivan at the reception in London last night for the Empire Parliamentary Delegates to meet T.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of York was made by Switzer, Dublin.

Holmes', George's street—Summer Sale. Generous reductions in Millinery, Frocks, Coats, Ladies' Underwear, etc. Many oddments clearing at Half original prices.

To-day (Friday) at Walpoles is Special Dressing Gown Day. Kimonos at 6s. 11d., 11s. 9d.; Tailored Satin Gowns, 21s. 9d., 23s. 6d.; Quilted Gowns, 12s. 9d., 21s.; Figured Shantung Gowns, good for washing, light for packing, 42s., reduced to 30s. Bed Jackets and Wraps and other Gowns at special prices. See windows. Inspection invited Walpoles, Suffolk street, Dublin.

Miss Feenan, Matron, Trained Nurses' Home, 9 Blackhall street, has changed her address to 19 Herbert street. 'Phone 62571.

Danger.—Thousands of pounds' worth of furs are destroyed every summer by moths. Your furs should be stored and cleaned by our scientific process. 'Phone 21867. We collect and deliver. Barnardos, 108 Grafton st.

Attractive Lingerie bargains at Slyne's, Ltd., in Flesh Art Milanese. Nightie, Slip and Knickers, the lot for 21s.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Among the arrivals were:—Dom Pascal Robinson, Papal Nuncio; Mr. and Mrs. Dyke Marsh, Miss Maeve Marnan, Miss H. M. Brouillon, Mrs. J. H. Connell, Miss Rosa Anderson, Miss J. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Maconchy, Mr. F. H. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Waldron Johnston, Mrs. S. Murphy, Mr. J. Mullen, Miss Glorney, Mrs. Redding, Mr. McCoy, Mr. Bartley, Mr. and Mrs. Odlum, Mrs. Burne, Miss Edwards, Miss Ferguson, Miss Rainsford, Mr. Frederick T. Rainsford, Dr. J

"MEASURES, HOWEVER DRASTIC"

BRITISH GOVERNMENT ASKED TO ACT

ABYSSINIAN WAR FEARS

EMPEROR APPEALS TO THE UNITED STATES

STATE Department officials in Washington have revealed that the Emperor of Ethopia has appealed to the United States to draw Italy's attention to her undertakings under the Kellogg Peace Pact.

Italy and Abyssinia were considered at the Conference of the League of Nations' Union, at Cambridge yesterday, when the Council carried a resolution drawing attention to the growing danger of war, and to the incalculable consequences which would follow to the collective system if war broke out; and urging the Government "to take such measures, however drastic, as it might consider wise and effectual to safeguard the peace of nations and maintain the supreme authority of the League in international affairs."

Ten tribesmen, who witnessed the fight at Wal-Wal which started the present dispute, will be brought to an airport in Southern Europe, where their evidence will be heard by members of the Italo-Abyssinian Commission, now sitting at Scheveningen, it is understood at the Hague.

FRANCE TO FIGHT SHY OF LEAGUE

Although its *rôle* is less active than that of Great Britain, the French Government is keenly attentive to the Abyssinian problem, says Reuter's Paris correspondent. Its desire to prevent war is no less intense than that of Downing street.

French policy on this point is understood to be to fight shy of the League of Nations owing to Italian sensitiveness on that score. It is held that some solution should be found through direct negotiations. It is, above all, realised that the sands of time are running out.

The present embarrassment of the British Government over the Abyssinian question is stressed by the French Press. *Le Journal des Debats* dubs the British policy "without compass," adding: "One would say that the British Government wants to compel us to choose between London and Rome. We must refuse. Our aim must more than ever be union with these two Powers."

France, it seems clear, will not work in collaboration with Great Britain at the risk of offending Italy unless she receives some very definite guarantees from the British Government, says a London telegram.

What guarantees might be sought is the subject of great speculation among foreign observers in London. In some quarters it is suggested that French collaboration might be secured if Britain were willing to give a definite guarantee regarding the status of Austria, and at the same time agree that the problem of land and air armaments should be treated as a single subject, thus dropping any idea of a speedy conclusion of an air convention.

Whatever steps might be taken to satisfy France, France would hardly be willing to approach Signor Mussolini unless it were possible to assure Italy of considerable concessions in Abyssinia which would, at least, partially satisfy Italian aspirations.

Any such approach would still encounter grave difficulties, seeing that Italy is unlikely to be satisfied by economic concessions alone, but is bent on establishing Italian military protection for Italian enterprises in Abyssinia.

RETURN OF THE HAPSBURGS

NO RESTORATION YET

LITTLE ENTENTE'S OPPOSITION

A VISIT TO MUSSOLINI

THE decision of the Austrian Cabinet to repeal the law of banishment against the former Imperial Family is having profound repercussions all over Europe, says Reuter.

Budapest and Rome have received sudden and mysterious visits from two of

ARCHDUKE OTTO.

Austria's most important statesmen. Germany is watching events closely, while France stands by the Little Entente, which opposes the restoration.

In Belgium Archduke Otto confirmed that negotiations for his return were in progress.

Prince Starhemberg, the Vice-Chancellor, and Major Fey, the Commissioner for Defence, left Vienna yesterday by air for Rome and Budapest, respectively.

It is believed that Prince Starhemberg is going to confer with Signor Mussolini with regard to the latest Hapsburg developments, while Major Fey is communicating with the Hungarian legitimist leaders.

The Austrian State Council, which must pass all bills before they are submitted to the Federal Diet, has approved the Government's measure repealing the law of banishment against the Hapsburgs, and restoring the family estates and fortunes.

At present no official mention has been made of the possibility of restoration of the Hapsburgs to the throne. So far it is only a question of allowing Archduke Otto and other members of the Hapsburg family to return as private citizens. His return as a private citizen might, however, be merely a prelude to restoration to the throne, perhaps by way of election to the Presidency.

"IN A COUPLE OF MONTHS"

LEGITIMIST HOPE

BRUSSELS, Thursday.

An extremely frank exposition of the aims of the legitimist leaders in Austria by a high personage who claims to be in close touch with Archduke Otto is published in the *Soir* this evening.

"We count on a return to Austria within a few weeks after the Anti-Hapsburg Laws have been abolished. After Archduke Otto's return restoration to the throne itself may not be a matter of more than a couple of months," says the article.

"The Hapsburg fortune will be handed back the moment the laws are abolished. There is only one obstacle in the way of this solution. Prince Starhemberg is still firmly opposed to an immediate return of the Hapsburgs. He wishes for a period of Regency, with himself as head of the State, preparing the country for the Archduke Otto's return.

"We do not think that Czechoslovakia will have any serious objection to the restoration to the throne. It will be a different matter with Yugoslavia and her allies. If those countries do not accept, the matter would be brought before the League of Nations."

J.P.'S PETITION TO THE KING

AGAINST MAGISTRATES BILL

BELFAST, Thursday.

The Magistrates' Association of Northern Ireland will to-morrow send a petition to the King against the Ulster Summary Jurisdiction Bill, which abolishes almost all the judicial powers of unpaid Justices of the Peace. The petition, which is being signed in Belfast, claims that the bill now awaiting Royal Assent is *ultra vires*, and that the Northern Government has no power to interfere with the Justices who are appointed by the King.

THE DUTCH GRAND PRIX

Some of the leading British and Irish riders, including Stanley Woods (Dublin), E. A. Mellors, H. G. Tyrell Smith (Dublin), J. Guthrie and W. F. Rusk (Belfast) are competing in the Dutch Motor Cycling Grand Prix at Assen to-morrow, says a Reuter message from Amsterdam.

DETECTIVES IN DUBLIN HOTEL

BLUE SHIRT LEADER SEARCHED

The Midland Hotel, Dublin, was entered early this morning by a party of detectives, stated to be members of the Special Branch, and accompanied by a uniformed Civic Guard sergeant.

Captain P. J. Hughes, the well-known Blue Shirt leader, who resides in the hotel, states that he was searched. A member of the police force, who was also in the hotel, had to produce credentials, and was then allowed to leave.

Captain Hughes states that the detectives searched a room, and when questioned said: "We are looking for arms, ammunition or documents." The men then left, the Civic Guard sergeant having taken absolutely no part in the affair.

SMUGGLERS SHOT

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Thursday.

Three men, alleged to be smugglers, were shot dead on the German-Czechoslovak frontier to-day during a running gun battle with the German frontier police.

STORM ABOUT SOMALILAND

THE SUGGESTED CESSION

TWO MINISTERS UNDER FIRE

DISCONTENT AMONG CONSERVATIVES

THE British Government's suggestion, made through Mr. Anthony Eden to Signor Mussolini, that a portion of British Somaliland should be ceded to Ethiopia with a view to a settlement of the Italo-Abyssinian difficulty, was the subject of numerous questions in the House of Commons yesterday.

Mr. J. P. Dickie (National Liberal) asked the Colonial Secretary whether he would lay on the table the text of British Treaties between 14th July, 1884, and 27th January, 1886, whereunder, on the withdrawal of Egyptian protection from Somali territory, the leading Mohammedan chiefs and inhabitants expressed voluntarily their desire to place their territories under the protection and jurisdiction of Her Majesty the Queen Empress, and would he state what negotiations, if any, had taken place between the Governor and the inhabitants of those areas which it was proposed to transfer to another sovereignty.

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald replied that he had arranged for a memorandum containing the text of the Treaties to be placed in the Library. With regard to the second part of the question, no such negotiations took place, having regard to the tentative nature of the suggestion made by Mr. Eden to Signor Mussolini.

Mr. Dickie—Am I to understand from the reply that the Foreign Secretary claims that the power of the Executive extends not only to the cession of British territory without the consent of this House, but also to the transfer of people whom we have undertaken to protect to another sovereignty? Also, I wish to ask, what is to happen if these people refuse to be transferred?

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald—It would not have been necessary to have the consent of the tribes concerned, but, of course, we were bound to consult their interests, and their interests would have been consulted by us if the suggestion had gone any further.

ROYAL PREROGATIVE NOT INVOLVED

Sir Arnold Wilson (Conservative) asked the Colonial Secretary whether he took steps to ascertain the views of the Mohammedan inhabitants of Somaliland before assenting to the proposed transfer of territory to another sovereignty.

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald — No. As already explained to the House, the suggestion referred to was a tentative one.

Sir Arnold Wilson—Before assent was given to this tentative suggestion for the exercise of the Royal prerogative, was His Majesty's pleasure on the subject ascertained? (Cheers.)

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald—I understand that Sir Arnold Wilson's information as to the circumstances in which such a suggestion could have been put into practice is out of date.

In reply to Mr. Wise, Mr. Malcolm Macdonald said that there was never any suggestion that any territory should be handed over unconditionally. There were certain conditions, he said, on which we would have required satisfaction.

Mr. E. Sandys (Conservative) asked that the statement of the Minister with regard to consultation with His Majesty should be made more clear.

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald—I am advised by high authority that the position suggested by Sir Arnold Wilson with regard to the prerogative does not hold to-day as it did in the fairly recent past.

EXTENT OF PROPOSED AREA

Replying to Sir Percy Hurd (Conservative), Mr. Malcolm Macdonald said that it was contemplated that the port of Zeila might, subject to certain conditions, be ceded to Ethiopia, together with a corridor of territory about fifty miles long by twelve miles wide linking it to that country. The number of inhabitants fluctuated according to the season. In Zeila itself it varied from 2,000 in summer to 7,000 in winter. There were no permanent inhabitants in the hinterland, which was only visited at certain seasons by nomadic tribesmen.

Sir Arnold Wilson asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether, in order to maintain the principles of the Covenant of the League of Nations, he would, in future, in considering the transfer of territory from British to alien sovereignty, provide for the transfer to be made by means of a mandate of the League of Nations, thus ensuring periodical reports and supervision in the interests of the inhabitants.

Mr. Anthony Eden (Minister for League of Nations Affairs)—I can assure Sir Arnold that, in considering any suggested proposal, the Government would naturally satisfy themselves that the action contemplated was consistent with the terms of the Covenant.

TRADITIONAL POLICY

Sir Percy Hurd (Conservative) asked if Mr. Eden would give an assurance that in any negotiations with foreign Powers which involved an offer of territory, mandated or otherwise, the House would be informed before any such offer became effective?

Mr. Anthony Eden replied that the traditional policy of the Government was to keep the House informed in such matters. My friend, he added, no doubt has in mind the gesture recently made by the Government to Signor Mussolini as regards ceding to Abyssinia a small strip of British Somaliland, to which I referred in the House last Monday. This suggestion represented an effort to reach an agreed settlement on the situation which the Government regarded with grave concern. It was put forward solely to find out from Signor Mussolini whether, should the Government make a proposal on these lines, it would be likely to commend itself to the Italian Government as a constructive contribution to a settlement of the dispute between Italy and Abyssinia. For that reason the House will appreciate that it could not be published in advance of its preliminary communication to Signor Mussolini; but had it been favourably received a full explanation of it would at once have been given to the House, with the opportunity of full discussion. I should like to make it clear that if these tentative suggestions had been favourably received the Government would at once have entered into consultation with the French Government, as co-signatory of the 1906 Treaty, and the Ethiopian Government.

Mr. M. Petherick (Conservative)—In view of the grave danger of this tentative proposal being taken by certain foreign Powers as a precedent, will the Minister make it perfectly clear that the Government will not try to induce foreign Powers to keep the peace by the transfer of British territory?

Mr. Anthony Eden—Yes, sir; but I would remind Mr. Petherick that there are always grave dangers in positive action.

THE LAVERY PICTURES

SIR JOHN ON WIFE'S IDEALS

"TO BRING IRISH AND ENGLISH CLOSER"

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

DUBLIN Corporation having unanimously accepted, as a gift to the city, a group of 33 pictures painted by himself, Sir John gave me an interview in his studio this evening. On the mantelpiece are specimens of the Free State notes of various denominations containing on each an engraving of the late Lady Lavery as an Irish colleen.

"I am very gratified by the acceptance of the pictures, and look upon it as a great compliment to my art," said Sir John, and, glancing at the famous "Lilac Muslin" painting of his late wife, which portrait, started by himself, was mainly the work of Lady Lavery, "Her last work," he said with feeling.

"It has been stated that Lady Lavery showed great interest in the Treaty. As a matter of fact, for the twenty-five years of our union her one thought and aim was to bring the Irish and English peoples closer, to live in harmony, and that was what she worked for all her life.

"MY HEARTFELT WISH"

"It is my heartfelt wish that the set of paintings will be of permanent interest, and that they will continue, if even in a small way, to help further the ideals of my late wife and ensure that the spirit of friendship between the Irish and English peoples, as neighbours, will grow stronger and more lasting.

"I have no political bias; I am simply a painter," Sir John continued, "and it was because of Lady Lavery's great interest, and because of her, that I presented the series of pictures—portraits of the Irish and English signatories of the Treaty, with the exception of Sir Laming Worthington Evans.

"I did not leave out Evans," said Sir John jocularly, "because he was Minister for War at the time, while mine was a mission of peace. I simply had not the opportunity, at the time, of painting him, and when I had the opportunity later, he was gone."

IRISH CAPTAIN'S IMPRISONMENT

INVESTIGATION PROMISED

The Spanish Home Secretary, interviewed in Madrid, has promised a full investigation into the case of Captain A. W. Kane, of Islandmagee, Co. Antrim, who was sentenced by an emergency Court at Palma, Majorca, for an alleged assault on a Spanish policeman.

Vice-Admiral Campbell, of "Q"-ship fame, asked in the House of Commons yesterday for information concerning the sentence of imprisonment on Captain Kane.

Mr. Anthony Eden, replying, said that the British Consul had taken up Captain Kane's case, and was in touch with the British Ambassador in Madrid.

Mr. Winston Churchill asked if Captain Kane was still in prison.

Mr. Eden replied that he was not quite certain, but that he had received a few moments ago a telegram from the British Ambassador in Madrid, who had been in communication with the Spanish Government, and he hoped that a solution would be found.

Sir Hugh O'Neill (Co. Antrim) asked Mr. Eden if he was aware that Captain Kane was arrested as the result of a small fracas. Was not a sentence of two years' imprisonment for such an offence extraordinary, and would the Government take steps to secure that the appeal was brought on as quickly as possible, and see that the best legal aid was supplied to enable Captain Kane to defend his character?

Mr. Eden—"Yes. I have said that we have taken steps."

Although the British Consul at Palma offered to provide bail for Captain Kane on any condition pending his appeal, says Reuter, the Court has refused. The British Association here is protesting.

NORTHERN RAIL ACCIDENT

COACH LEAVES LINE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

OMAGH, Thursday.

Passengers on the afternoon express from Bundoran to Omagh by the G.N.R. had a thrilling experience when the first coach left the track at Shanmullagh, between Trillick and Dromore Road Stations.

The train was travelling at almost fifty miles per hour at the time, and it covered a distance of about 500 yards before being brought to a standstill. The sleepers were torn up and bore traces of the zig-zag course of the derailed coach.

Inspector Heenan, who was travelling in the guard's van, sustained a slight injury to his right hand and a bruise on his right leg. The driver of the train, Mr. T. Kelly, when he felt the coaches sway pulled up as promptly as he could, and it was fortunate that the train did not overturn.

An Englishwoman, returning from holidays, said that when the coach began to bump and sway she looked out and saw that the coach was in danger of striking the bridge or rolling over the fifteen feet embankment.

The passengers were brought to Dromore Road Station on the engine and tender, and later to Omagh by 'bus. They were subsequently conveyed to Belfast and Portadown.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

THE NEW VICE-PROVOST

At a meeting of the Provost and Senior Fellows of Trinity College on Wednesday, July 3rd, Dr. William Alexander Goligher, Registrar, was co-opted to the Senior Fellowship left vacant by the death of the Rev. William Ralph Westropp Roberts, D.D., Vice-Provost.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board the following changes in the annual offices were made:—

William E. Thrift, S.F.,T.C.D., to be Vice-Provost;

Henry S. Macran, S.F.,T.C.D., to be Auditor, and

Dr. J. Gilbart Smyly, S.F.,T.C.D., Librarian, to be also Senior Dean.

MEETING OF SENATE

The Senate of the University of Dublin will meet in the Theatre of Trinity College to-day, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of conferring Honorary and other Degrees.

THE SUBMARINE CONTROVERSY

FIRST LORD'S STATEMENT

OFFICIAL RECORD QUOTED

MR. LLOYD GEORGE STICKS TO HIS GUNS

SIR BOLTON EYRES-MONSELL (First Lord of the Admiralty) last night issued the following statement:—

"Mr. Lloyd George, in the statement issued to the Press last night, said that he had definite information that during the recent Naval Conversations the German delegates expressed their readiness to subscribe to a clause, the effect of which would be that Germany would support the British Government in any attempt by the latter to bring about the abolition of the submarine, and that this suggestion was not entertained by the British Government.

"Mr. Lloyd George presumably means that he has information that the German delegates proposed the insertion of a clause to that effect in the agreement which was reached during the conversations and has been published.

"If so, his information is entirely incorrect. At no time was it suggested that any such clause should be inserted in that agreement. The German delegation has this morning confirmed the accuracy of this, and, indeed, such a clause would have been quite inappropriate to an agreement of this kind.

"What the German delegates did was to express themselves as in accord with this country in its desire, which he have repeatedly expressed, and of which they were reminded, for the abolition of submarines by international agreement.

"The reference to the matter in the record of the recent conversations is contained in the following paragraph, to the publication of which the German delegation has assented:—

> "'Germany supports the British Government's desire for the complete abolition of submarines, and, if it could be achieved, would be prepared to scrap the submarines they might have, built or building, at the time.'

"I hope that this will make the matter perfectly clear."

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S REPLY

Mr. Lloyd George has issued the following reply to the First Lord:—

"In the statement issued by the First Lord he revealed something that has never been stated before.

"I adhere to the statement I made at the Central Hall. The same facts appeared in *The Scotsman* on June 26:

> 'I learn that during the initial stage of the recent Anglo-German talks the German delegates suggested the insertion in the agreement of a clause pledging Germany to support any effort by Great Britain to secure the abolition of the submarine. Our Government, however, refrained from including such a clause in the exchange of Notes, lest it should be resented by France as aimed at herself, as the chief European champion of the submarine.'

"That statement has never been contradicted, and I assert that it is correct. If the German Government were prepared to join us, as Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell now admits, in an effort to abolish submarines altogether, why was not that joint effort initiated at the Conference, instead of an agreement to increase the number of German submarines in defiance of the Treaty of Versailles?"

FROM "THE TIMES"

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

ABYSSINIA AND EUROPE

The Times remarks to-day in a leading article:—A large number of questions in the House of Commons yesterday demonstrated both a vigilant public interest in the Italo-Abyssinian dispute and the concern which always shows itself when there is any question of transferring British territory. The answers of Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Eden should allay the misgivings of super-patriots. No one regards it as a light matter to offer, even in the most tentative manner, a part of a British colony to another country. Nor in this case was any compensation in kind suggested. But there may be other compensations which would be of greater value to the British Empire—and to the world at large—than a strip of equivalent territory somewhere else. It was the very essence of the offer that its acceptance implied a settlement of the whole Italo-Abyssinian dispute. When it is considered how widely the ramifications of that dispute extend and what are its possible consequences, the price to be paid, which is not without precedent, does not seem a very high one. The issue of peace or war is at stake and of the whole future of the League of Nations.

The whole purpose of diplomacy must clearly be to find a solution which can be reconciled with the principles of the Covenant. It has been suggested in Italian quarters that this particular dispute should be regarded entirely as a colonial affair; that the League should be reserved rather for action in Europe, and that nothing should be done, therefore, by stretching the power of the League into Africa, to weaken its European influence. It is observed, moreover, that Great Britain has been unwilling to tie herself beforehand to definite action in regard to Austria, and that, therefore, it is absurd to suppose that she would be ready to take action on the League's behalf in such a comparatively unimportant part of the world as Abyssinia. The two cases are, of course, by no means parallel, and it is possible that colonial and African matters touch the attention of the British public and the interests of the Empire more nearly than the problems of Central Europe.

Great Britain has contracts in many places, some of which cancel others out, and make a firm line of policy doubly difficult to achieve, proceeds *The Times*. This country has to think of the prestige of the League in Europe, and at the same time of the British interests in the countries that border on Ethiopia—Kenya, British Somaliland and the Sudan—and of the special position of Egypt. The waters, which are so valuable for irrigating the shores of the Nile, have their source in Abyssinia. Would it be a challenge to Anglo-Egyptian interests, as well as to the League, if a foreign Power were to establish itself in Addis Ababa? All these questions need the most careful consideration, and some of them require consultation with other Powers. At this stage all that can be said is that public opinion will be best pleased if British policy can show itself firm, independent, inspired by faithfulness to the League, and devotion to British interests, ready to take common action for the maintenance of justice, but always bearing in mind the French motto: *Avise la Fin*.

LONG SITTING OF DAIL TO-DAY

SLOW PROGRESS OF FINANCE BILL

PROSPECTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

AN all-day sitting of the Dail to-day was foreshadowed last night. It appears that the Government is not satisfied with the progress being made with the Finance Bill, and for this reason it is likely that at the sitting this morning at 10.30 power may be taken to sit later than the usual hour for rising on Friday—namely, 2 o'clock. There is still a large number of amendments to the Finance Bill to be dealt with.

It is the hope of the Government Whips to bring the session to an end by this day fortnight. This hope will, however, be vain unless better progress can be made with the Finance Bill, which, in addition to being one of the biggest measures, is also indispensable.

BILLS WHICH MAY BE HELD OVER

In order to reach an adjournment for the summer recess in a fortnight or three weeks, it is understood that the Government are willing to allow the Courts of Justice Bill to go over to the autumn session, but it is clear that other measures also will have to be postponed. The Insurance Bill has not yet been circulated to deputies, and consequently it may be ruled out, but it is possible that the Conditions of Employment Bill, which is now in Committee stage, may also have to go over. However, the Government intention at the moment is to get this measure through, and, in fact, it will be the first item on to-day's Order Paper.

There still remain on the Order Paper, in addition to several small bills, a number of estimates for departments which will provoke considerable debate.

The possibility of a long sitting to-day is anything but relished by country members, who like to return to their homes by the Friday afternoon train.

NORTHERN IRELAND AND CENSUS

NO ENUMERATION NEXT YEAR

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

In connection with the taking of the next Free State Census, now fixed for 26th April next year, it is disappointing to learn that, according to present arrangements, it is not proposed to take a census simultaneously in Northern Ireland.

It is recalled that in 1926 the census was taken at the same time in both Northern and Southern areas, and in this way it was possible to see the figures for the whole of Ireland at a glance.

In 1921, which was the census year for Great Britain and Ireland, the census was not taken in Ireland because of the disturbed state of the country, but in 1926 both North and South took it.

The figures in that year were:—

Free State	2,971,992
Northern Ireland	1,256,561
Total	4,228,553

During the inter-censal period it is customary to make an estimate of the population, using certain recognised data for the purpose. By this means it is possible to note the trend of the population. These estimated figures are, of course, only what they purport to be, and cannot be regarded as other than approximate.

The latest available estimates are:—

Free State	3,013,000
Northern Ireland	1,280,000
Total	4,293,000

From this it will be seen that the population of the whole of Ireland has increased by over 64,000. Of this increase 41,000 is in the Free State.

THE ACADEMY OF LETTERS

AWARD OF SPECIAL MEDALS

FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

I understand that an interesting announcement will be made shortly by the Irish Academy of Letters. When Mr. Yeats was in America, round about the time of the Academy's foundation, an American sympathiser provided funds for the award every three years of a special medal for the Academician who should have produced the most distinguished *corpus* of creative literature.

It was obvious that the first three recipients of this award would be the three senior members of the Academy—namely, Bernard Shaw, Mr. Yeats and "A.E." In the normal course of events one of these three would have had to wait for nine years for his medal, and, as all three have reached a fairly advanced age, the Academy has decided to break its own rule, and to award the three medals to Messrs. Shaw, Yeats and Russell at the same time. The presentation, I am informed, will take place at an early date.

IRISH FREE STATE AFFAIRS

TO BE DISCUSSED IN BRITISH COMMONS

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Churchill asked whether the Irish discussion on Wednesday next would be general, so as to permit of a full discussion on the recent developments resulting from the decision of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

Mr. Baldwin—Yes; that is why arrangements have been made for the debate to take place on the motion for the adjournment.

TYPHOID FEVER IN ROME

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ROME, Thursday.

Twenty-two persons died of typhoid fever in Rome between June 1st and July 2nd. Out of the total population of 1,156,000 no fewer than 1,170 cases were reported. The number of cases this year is higher than usual owing to exceptionally unhealthy weather. The well-to-do seem to be particularly susceptible, while more crowded quarters, as well as institutes, colleges and barracks, are comparatively free.

JAPANESE DEMANDS

ANGER AT SHANGHAI

WANTS FASCISTS SUPPRESSED

"INSULT TO THEIR EMPEROR"

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SHANGHAI, Thursday.

GROWING tension between China and Japan, hitherto located in the North, was to-day suddenly transferred to the great cosmopolitan city of Shanghai, with its 11,000 British residents.

Reports from Nanking announced the presentation by the Japanese Ambassador of demands for sweeping changes here, and it was learned that the Japanese cruiser Iwate, now at Shanghai, had indefinitely postponed its scheduled departure.

An ominous situation is developing. It started with the appearance in the *New Life Weekly*, published here, of an article which Japanese residents regard as an insult to their Emperor. To-day inflammatory handbills were being distributed among the Japanese community, and some of the more unruly elements were spoiling for trouble.

A section of the Japanese residents is known to be pressing for the suppression of the Kuomintang, the central party of the Chinese Nationalist movement.

MAY PROVOKE INCIDENT

It is feared that Japanese extremists may insist on the punishment of some of the highest officials of the Kuomintang, and this demand is bound to lead to resistance.

There is also the danger that incensed elements in the Japanese community here may provoke an incident leading to military action. At the same time, the Chinese populace may cause trouble if their Government gives way.

The Japanese civil authorities are anxious to limit the scope of the incident, to forestall the possibility of the military and naval authorities stepping in.

With 23,000 residents, the Japanese are the biggest foreign community in the international settlement of Shanghai.

FIVE DEMANDS

Following are the five demands presented in Nanking to-day by Mr. Akira Ariyoshi, the Japanese Ambassador:—

(1) The dismissal of the Director of Social Affairs in the municipality of Greater Shanghai;

(2) The abolition of the Kuomintang headquarters in Shanghai;

(3) The suppression of the Blue Shirts—the Chinese Fascist Party—in Shanghai;

(4) An apology from the Chinese Government;

(5) A guarantee that the Kuomintang authorities in Nanking will take effective measures to prevent the occurrence of similar incidents.

Shanghai is governed by a municipal council of five British, two Japanese, two Americans and five Chinese. It controls a very efficient international volunteer force of about 1,800 men, including cavalry, infantry and light artillery, and a police force of over 7,000—foreigners, Sikhs and Chinese.

GALWAY MURDER CHARGE

DAUGHTER OF PRISONER GIVES EVIDENCE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

GALWAY, Thursday.

At Galway District Court to-day, before Mr. Sean MacGiollarnaith, D.J., Michael Cloherty, labourer, Bowling Green, Galway, was charged with the murder of Thomas Bane (27), labourer, Drimcong, Moycullen, who died in the Central Hospital, Galway, ten minutes after admission, on the evening of June 28 last.

Nora Cloherty (12), daughter of the prisoner, said that a dispute arose between her father and a man she knew as Chris. Bane in her father's house. Her father told the man to leave the house, but they continued arguing, and caught hold of each other. Witness went upstairs to her little brother, who was crying, and when she returned Chris. Bane was walking out and bleeding around the chest. Witness fainted on the way to the Guards' Barracks.

PRINCE AS MASTER

MASONIC INSTALLATION

The Prince of Wales became Worshipful Master of a Masonic Lodge for the first time last night, when he attended a meeting of the Lodge of Friendship and Harmony at Weybridge.

He has been associated with the Lodge as a subscribing member since he became Provincial Grand Master of Surrey in 1924, and he accepted the invitation to the Mastership for this year.

After the installation, performed by the retiring Master, Brother R. A. Powell, the Prince invested the officers of the Lodge. He presided at the dinner which followed.

YUGOSLAV POLICY

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BELGRADE, Thursday.

The Yugoslav Parliament met to-day for the first time since the resignation of the Jevtitch Cabinet. The new Premier, M. Stojadinovitch, read a Government declaration, which stated that, in spite of being profoundly and sincerely devoted to the ideal of peace between peoples, the Government could not close its eyes to the new situation created by the development in armaments. "We cannot act on our own in this matter, but we will support every effort tending to reduce and limit armaments."

On each of the carriages of a train-load of a thousand cheering Italians bound for Africa yesterday was chalked the words: "Death to the Negus! (Abyssinian Emperor) Long live the Duce; long live the King!".

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'PLANE'S DIVE INTO SEA

MAN ESCAPES BY FUSELAGE

STRAPPED-IN PILOT FEARED LOST

MR. C. F. H. GRAINGER, the sole passenger in the air liner which plunged into the sea between Guernsey and Portsmouth, arrived at Fowey, Cornwall, last night on the London steamer Stanmore. When the boat picked him up he was virtually unconscious, after struggling with the waves for nearly two hours.

Mr. Grainger fears that the pilot, Captain W. Ogden, who was strapped in the cockpit, went down with his 'plane.

When the steamer docked Mr. Grainger seemed shaken, but otherwise was little the worse for his ordeal.

He told on his arrival how, warned by the pilot that he might be forced into the sea, he put on a lifebelt and waited for the crash.

He escaped through the emergency exit in the fuselage, and watched the air liner sink a quarter of an hour after she struck the water.

"The aeroplane left Guernsey at 5.40 p.m.," said Mr. Grainger, "but prior to starting considerable difficulty had been experienced in starting up the right-hand side engine. When the 'plane had been in the air some time trouble was noticed on this particular engine, which eventually shut right off.

STRAPPED IN COCKPIT

"When the pilot warned me that he might be compelled to land on the sea, both he and I put on lifebelts. He made the forced landing about ten miles from the English coast.

"The pilot was strapped in the cockpit, but I managed to get through the emergency exit."

Before the Stanmore reached Fowey a launch went alongside, and Mr. Grainger was taken ashore. Hatless and wearing a blue suit, he was obviously very shaken by his experiences, and two men had to help him as he clambered down a rope ladder into the launch.

He waved farewell as he left the ship, but he was so weak that he had to be half-lifted out of the boat to get ashore.

He was taken to the back entrance into the offices of Lloyds agents at Fowey. He at once telephoned to his father in London and to other friends.

Captain W. E. Herbert, of Llanon, Cardiganshire, the captain of the Stanmore, said that he thought that if they had found Mr. Grainger ten minutes later he would have been dead.

"It was shortly after 8 o'clock when we were ten miles off Anvil Point, about 22 miles from the Needles, that one of my officers thought he heard a cry or a groan," he said.

"JUST IN TIME"

"We scanned the neighbourhood and saw a figure floundering in the sea. We manœuvred the boat alongside and found a man in a lifebelt. We hauled him on board, but we were only just in time; he was almost frozen and completely exhausted. We had to apply artificial respiration for an hour and a-half before we were satisfied that he was out of danger."

Captain Ogden, the pilot of the air liner, was thirty years old, and lived at Bognor Regis, Sussex.

The aeroplane was a three-engine machine, owned by Cobham Air Routes, and the pilot sent out an S.O.S. that one engine had "cut out," and that she was in need of assistance.

Aeroplanes, lifeboats, a steamer, and the destroyer, Rowena, took part in the search for the missing machine, but a patch of oil discovered some ten miles off the Hampshire coast was the only trace of the accident.

TEACHER SUES MINISTER

HIGH COURT DECREE FOR £120

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

A village teacher was awarded £120 damages against a Presbyterian minister in a slander action, heard by a special jury, in the Northern High Court, Belfast, to-day.

The action was brought by Miss Hester Hay, of Donacloney, Co. Down, against the Rev. John Dunwoodie, of Donacloney Manse.

Her case was that when speaking to friends in a Portstewart boarding house Mr. Dunwoodie said: "That is a big woman who has a daughter somewhere. She has a child somewhere—hasn't she?"

Plaintiff said that she understood that to mean that she had been guilty of unchastity. She alleged that Mr. Dunwoodie had a spite against her because he was deposed from the managership of her school, although it was through no action of hers.

Mr. Dunwoodie denied having used the words complained of.

A SOUTH WALL MYSTERY

CHEMICALS REMOVED IN STOLEN CAR

It was learnt yesterday that the two kegs taken from the British and Irish Steam Packet Company's warehouses at Sir John Rogerson's quay, Dublin, on Wednesday night contained potassium chloride. They were, it is stated, the property of Messrs. May, Roberts, chemists, of Grand Canal street, Dublin.

Potassium chloride, when mixed in certain proportions with sulphur and other ingredients, can be made into a highly dangerous explosive.

A Standard motor car found abandoned in Kimmage road yesterday morning appears to have a definite connection with the raid on the warehouse. Its identification plates correspond with a motor car stolen from Gardiner's row, Dublin, at about 8 p.m. on Wednesday.

At about 9.40 the same night two men and a girl drove up to the B. and I. warehouse. One of the men made two journeys into the shed, and each time carried out a keg. When they were placed in the back of the car it drove off. The night watchman, who attempted to stop the car, stated that one of the men waved what appeared to be a revolver at him. The number on the identification plates of the motor car, which was taken by the night watchman, corresponds with the number of the abandoned car, and also with the number then on the car stolen from Gardiner's row.

The Civic Guards are making active inquiries in connection with both incidents.

IRISH-AMERICAN BROADCAST

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

MINISTER'S AND LORD MAYOR'S TRIBUTES

THE principal items in last night's American programme on the Athlone Radio were an address by the Lord Mayor of Dublin (Alderman A. Byrne, T.D.), on the occasion of the celebration of American Independence, and a reply by the American Minister (Mr. A. M. Owsley).

The Lord Mayor began by expressing his great pleasure in greeting, on behalf of the citizens of Dublin, the Minister in person, "the great United States of America and its mightly people that are the source of that greatness."

Millions of the Irish people, he said, had derived great benefits from American institutions and the American people, and through their help again many of the Irish people at home had been enabled to carry on and make good against all difficulties. The Irish people fully appreciated all that, and were proud of the great Republic. American influence was not merely material. She had led the way in material progress, it was true, and by the large-scale organisation of her industries had spread the benefits of science throughout the world.

Though the Irish people valued the material progress of America, they valued still more its moral influence in the counsels of the nations, making, as it did, for democratic government and human welfare. That was why they attached so much importance to the arrival on their shores of the new American Minister. His dearest wish was that those excellent sentiments which, as Lord Mayor of Dublin, he knew existed here, and, as a recent visitor to America's shores, he knew were also wide spread in the United States, might take shape in the form of material help. They had a saying here, "An ounce of help is worth a pound of sympathy."

MUTUAL ASSISTANCE

Having referred to the unemployment problem in both countries, the Lord Mayor asked if it was too much to hope that the splendid sentiments entertained by their peoples on both sides of the Atlantic would take shape in the form of greater efforts to help each other in mutual difficulties.

It should not be beyond our intelligence, he said, as it certainly is not beyond our goodwill, to speed up the existing trade between the two countries, and place our commercial relations more nearly on a basis of equality than at present. The Irish in America and the friends of Ireland in your great country want Irish goods, and, with the present growth of Irish industry in all branches, we are increasingly prepared to supply this big market with goods that our people and their friends will be glad to have—sound in quality and at the right price. There can hardly be any clash between the industrial progress of mighty America and Irish industrial progress. If there is, the details could be easily arranged by mutual goodwill, which we know exists, whereas in all other points, in which there is no essential difficulty, the excellent relations established between us should enable us to improve greatly our present commercial conditions.

MINISTER'S REPLY

His Excellency, Mr. Alvin M. Owsley, was introduced by the playing of the American National Anthem. He said that it was a very great pleasure to greet everybody by means of that night's excellent radio broadcast. Especially did he feel complimented to be allowed to address a message to the Irish people on the occasion of the birthday of his country, which marked the 159th year of the independence of the United States of America. Naturally he was thrilled to hear the playing of his country's National Anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner," on foreign soil. It is, he said, a good omen to me. I feel that I am in the hands of the hospitable people that grace the Irish Free State. Referring to the Lord Mayor's re-election to office, he said: It must be a source of very great gratification and satisfaction to any man in public life during these trying times to feel that he is wanted for the sixth time in succession in high public office. I congratulate the new, or, rather, may I say, the old Lord Mayor, and, I should add, "My Lord Mayor," since I am so near to becoming one of his fellow-citizens.

The Minister went on to speak of the Lord Mayor's "recent triumphant visit to America," and remarked that they were accustomed to welcoming distinguished visitors to his country; yet he could truthfully say that the Lord Mayor of Dublin was received with unusual enthusiasm by the American people, and was the centre of attraction wherever he went. They were looking for the return visit of this distinguished Irishman—a visit which, he hoped, would embrace Chicago, Los Angeles and San Francisco, on the Pacific coast.

He should like to acknowledge America's debt and gratitude to all those men and women who had turned their faces Westward, and who, exhibiting the spirit of the pioneer and the crusader, had made America. No nation now so dominantly of one mind, one language, one purpose and one destiny had been moulded out of so many various factions and opinions into one as had America.

NEAR TO EACH OTHER

Fortunately for America and, he trusted, for the Irish Free State people, their two countries were geographically near to each other. The Irish Free State was the nearest European nation to America. "You are," he remarked, "the first we touch. You are the last we bid farewell to. Why not let us come closer together, study our mutual problems, that are looking toward closer contact and closer relations for our two States and peoples?"

Concluding, Mr. Owsley said: "On this anniversary of the birth of the American Republic we give thanks to God for His goodness and mercy that have kept and preserved us a nation. We press forward towards the high calling of a great world Power, conscious of its strength, proud of its history, hopeful that we shall continue a blessing to the world."

Mrs. E. Leamy gave a talk on "American Poets I Have Known," and illustrated it by means of extracts from their works.

GUARD'S ACTION FOR SLANDER

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

MANORHAMILTON, Thursday.

At Manorhamilton Circuit Court to-day, before Judge Sheehy, a settlement was announced in the case in which Guard William Murray, Kiltyclogher, sued Celia Gettings, Kiltyclogher, and her husband, John Gettings, for £200 damages for slander. The statements complained of were alleged to have been made by Mrs. Gettings as follows:—"It was Guards Murray and Gavigan, of Kiltyclogher, who burned my hay in 1933, or, if they did not actually do the burning themselves, they got some of their friends to do it for them."

The settlement was a decree, by consent, for £5.

The passengers and crew of the Italian air liner on the Rome-Barcelona route were picked up from the sea yesterday by the liner Elmansour. The air liner was forced to descend owing to engine trouble and came down off Port Vendres.

AN ARMAGH WILL

EXPECTED TO BE "CARRIED UP"

NOT AT CHURCH FOR THIRTY YEARS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

THE hearing of the dispute over the will made by a County Armagh farmer, who left the bulk of his £5,000 estate to the Presbyterian Church and Belfast hospitals, was continued to-day in the Belfast King's Bench, before Mr. Justice Brown and a special jury.

The will is being contested by a niece of the testator, who is an American. After the deceased man had for years invited the defendant to come from America, she visited the deceased. After she returned home the deceased changed his will.

The Court was packed this morning when the cross-examination was resumed of Mr. Alex. Fisher, solicitor, Newry.

The plaintiffs—James Fulton, merchant, Clare, Tandragee; William Acheson, auctioneer, Maghnavery, Markethill; Robert Walker, farmer, Corlust, and William John Purdy, farmer, Ballyargan—claim to be the executors of the last will, dated December 22, 1930, and a codicil thereto, dated January 2, 1931, of Samuel J. Hamilton, late of Corlust, County Armagh, farmer, as confirmed by a will executed by Hamilton on January 7, 1932, and to have the will and codicil and the confirmatory will established in solemn form.

The defendant, Elizabeth Hamilton Penird, widow, of Belfast, entered a caveat against the wills on the usual statutory grounds.

SOLICITOR EXAMINED

Mr. Alexander Fisher, solicitor, answering Mr. Beattie, said he had heard that a man came to the deceased man in hospital, and gave him a lot of trouble, telling him his house was burned. The deceased man was all right when he saw him.

He wanted to go home at night, as he was in a strange bed and amongst strange people.

Was the man such a danger that he had to have a male attendant?—He was awake all night, and there were too many people in the ward.

Was he a strong Presbyterian?—He was, and he read the "Christian Herald." He belonged to those who believed they would be carried up.

Though you wrote that he was a strong Presbyterian?—That is the Presbyterian doctrine. If you had Mr. Lowry here he would tell you that.

His Lordship—Then he was a believer in translation. You say that is a doctrine of the Presbyterian Church.

Witness—No, I do not.

His Lordship—I beg your pardon, you did.

Witness—Presbyterians and others can believe that.

Mr. Beattie—This old man was not at church for 30 years?

Witness—Not for a long time.

His Lordship—Yet you call him a good Presbyterian?

Witness—He called himself that.

Mr. Beattie—I put it to you that this old man was rambling and carrying on?—He was not. I am not a fool.

The Attorney-General—They say you are a rogue.

Mr. Beattie—Did it not occur to you that when he was handing over his property to you it would have been better to get it independently witnessed like the will.

Witness—Not at all. That was not testamentary. If I had it would have been wrong, too.

Mr. Beattie referred to a portion of the instructions about the will, which stated: "So far as I could gather."

His Lordship—What is the meaning of "So far as I can gather?"

Witness—Because I discussed it with him.

His Lordship—You have given an answer which I am sure no one in court accepts, but you have given it.

Mr. Beattie, reading from the notes: "He was a strong Presbyterian, and said he would have to be careful how he disposed of his money because he would have to give an account to God." Was he converted suddenly like St. Paul?

Witness—No; he was very sound in the faith.

Do you know this man got five years' penal servitude for assaulting a girl of thirteen years?—Yes. I am not sure of the term.

Do you know that since that date he never attended a church?—No. He said that £10 would have settled the case.

He pleaded guilty?—I do not know.

Did you tell the doctors who witnessed the will that he was an ex-convict?—No.

A CANARY

Mr. Beattie further quoted from the notes: "I promised to buy him another canary, as he was sorry his canary died." Was that a professional service?

Witness said it was not. He was friendly with the deceased. Deceased would rather listen to his canaries, and often dropped the wireless to do so.

Were not your letters like those you would write about a helpless imbecile?—Nonsense.

Witness was next asked did testator apply for a new hat, and when Mr. Whitten sent him up three on approval he kept all three.

He replied that he had only the correspondence to go on.

His Lordship—Did he, in fact, keep the three hats?

Witness—I never heard of them.

In re-examination by the Attorney-General, witness said that he was perfectly satisfied that the testator was able to make a will and to understand its provisions.

Answering a question by his Lordship, witness said that the testator read the newspapers, and talked about Gandhi and the Sinn Feiners.

A DUNDALK RAID

STRUGGLE WITH MASKED ARMED MAN

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Thursday.

At Dundalk Circuit Court to-day, before Judge Devitt, K.C., Peter Shields and Seumas Mathews pleaded guilty to attempts to rob Vincent Kirwan and Mrs. Elsie Robinson, Castle road, and with being in possession of firearms. Patrick Shields, an elder brother of Peter, pleaded not guilty to the charges.

Vincent Kirwan, who resided in Mrs. Robinson's house, stated that shortly before midnight the bell rang and he opened the door. A man pushed his way in. The man wore a mask over his face and carried a revolver. When the man came in witness struggled with him for the revolver, and the front door closed, both being left in the hall. In the struggle one of them slipped, and witness fell on the revolver, which had fallen on to the ground. Mrs. Robinson and her son, Keith, ran downstairs and shouted for help. The masked man then cleared off, leaving his revolver behind him.

Seumas Mathews swore that he and the other two men had agreed to rob Mrs. Robinson. When Patrick rang the bell he was admitted. The hall door closed before they could get in. He and Peter heard screams inside the hall, and when they thought the neighbours were coming they ran away.

Patrick Shields denied that he had anything to do with the raid, and evidence of an alibi was given by his brothers.

The jury found Patrick Shields guilty on all the charges, except that of having firearms with intent to endanger life, and Judge Devitt sentenced him to fifteen months' imprisonment with hard labour. Mathews was sentenced to nine months' with hard labour. The Judge said that, on account of the youthfulness of Peter Shields, he would impose a suspensory sentence of six months, not to be enforced if he was of good behaviour for two years.

BUDGET'S EFFECT ON MENTAL HOSPITAL

CORK, Thursday.

At Cork Mental Hospital meeting to-day Alderman F. J. Daly, who presided, stated that it would cost £535 more than the estimate to run the institution this year, due to extra duties, as follows:—Bread, £133 6s. 8d.; butter, £18 12s. 6d.; tea, £233 6s. 8d.; sugar, £58 6s. 8d.; rice, £5; tobacco, £83 14s. 4d.; snuff, £3 3s. 4d.

BUDGET IMPOSTS ASSAILED

INCREASING THE HIGH COST OF BUILDING

"VEXATIOUS TAX ON BOOKS"

THE debate on the Committee stage of the Finance Bill was resumed in the Dail yesterday.

The amendment to remove the duty of 5/- per ton on British coal was defeated by 58 votes against 36.

An amendment to reduce the tax of 5/- a ton on imported cement to 1/- per ton was rejected by 57 votes to 30, as also an amendment to reduce from fifty to twenty per cent. the tax on roofing materials.

Strong protests were made against the tax on religious books, Professor Thrift stating that the whole tax on books was fundamentally objectionable and vexatious. A tax on books was unworthy of any Government.

During the debate Mr. MacEntee, Minister for Finance, was again rebuked for refusing to answer questions.

THE SILENT MINISTER

Mr. MULCAHY (U.I.P., Dublin N.) said that they were opposed to the coal tax because its incidence was heaviest on the poor. Some people were being allowed to import steam coal free of tax, and, if that was so, poorer people had a better claim to have the tax removed. This was a proposal to continue a tax which was introduced for carrying on a war.

Mr. M. BRENNAN (U.I.P., Roscommon) asked did the Minister know where they were drifting. Did he think that this country could continue to pay a tax on all its foodstuffs and on the coal for cooking them? There could be no pretence that this was an attempt to protect their industry.

Mr. MULCAHY said that the Minister sat there as if he was in a dug-out, but the people of the country were in the front-line trenches.

Professor J. M. O'SULLIVAN (U.I.P., Kerry) said that the Minister had made no attempt whatever to justify the continuance of this tax on coal. His conduct during the whole discussion was simply an abuse of their parliamentary institutions. He had not even attempted to give the slightest explanation, or justification, for this tax.

Mr. MORRISSEY (U.I.P., Tipperary) said that this was the first time that the House had been asked to give legislative effect to this five shillings tax on coal; but, notwithstanding that fact, the Minister had refused to give the House any reason why the people should have to pay this tax.

The MINISTER intervened to point out that the conduct of the Minister for Finance was not the matter before the House.

Mr. MORRISSEY said that the Minister's interruption with such a petty point was just another indication of how he was treating the whole matter.

The amendment was put without any reply from the Minister, and on a division was defeated by 58 votes to 36.

CEMENT

Mr. MULCAHY next moved an amendment to reduce a tax of five shillings a ton on imported cement to one shilling per ton. He pointed out that under the Cement Act of 1933 the Government were given power to impose a tariff on cement imported into this country. That worked all right until the Minister for Finance this year came to deal with his Budget.

Mr. MacENTEE said that on a point of order this amendment was an attempt to go over the heads of the Minister for Industry and Commerce and the Minister for Finance by reducing this licence on imported cement from 5s. to 1s. Power already had been given to the Ministers by the Oireachtas to put on this tax. He suggested that this discussion was not in order. He did not see how that amendment could be given effect to.

Mr. COSGRAVE (U.I., Cork) said that the import duty could be regulated by quota order, and would not affect the operation of the Act.

The SPEAKER said that the amendment was in order.

Mr. H. M. DOCKRELL (U.I., Dublin County) said that this duty would increase the high cost of building in this country, and would increase the amount of cement imported from Denmark and reduce the imports from Britain. In return for taking off the levy on British cement they should try to get some exports, now subject to duty going into England, in duty free.

Mr. M. BRENNAN said that this duty would increase the cost and rent of houses.

Mr. S. B. MINCH (U.I.P., Kildare) said that this cement taxation, which had no specific purpose, except taxation, and was not designed to help the new cement industries about to start in the near future, would fall on the future of small cottagers. The duty would also fall upon the taxpayer, who had to pay for the concrete roadways that were being built all over the country.

TAX ON INDUSTRY

Mr. COSGRAVE said that this impost was a tax on industry and initiative. Instead of imposing a tax the Minister could ensure that there would be no greater increase in the stocks than those normally required. There could be no other conclusion drawn than that this was a Customs tax that was not required. It was imposed in order to meet some unforeseen expense or some service they had not heard of yet.

Alderman R. CORISH (Labour, Wexford) said that he thought that it was a great pity that a tax of this kind should be imposed. It had been pointed out by Deputies Brennan and Minch that the tax would seriously affect the activities of local authorities. At the same time, he thought it right to say that it would not affect the cost of housing to the extent that Deputy Brennan or Deputy Mulcahy anticipated. The ordinary four-roomed cottage took about ten tons of cement. With the tariff of 5s. per ton, that would mean an extra cost of about £2 10s. per house.

In answer to Mr. Cosgrave, Alderman Corish said that that would amount to not more than 1s. per year on the rent of the cottages. He intended to vote for the duty.

The amendment was defeated by 57 votes to 30.

Mr. SEAN MacENTEE moved an amendment to provide that where a Customs duty is imposed on any commodity in respect of which a contract is made before the imposition of the duty, the amount of duty to be paid would be on the contract price. The purpose of the amendment, he said, was to alleviate any hardship which might be caused to contractors by the placing of import licence fees on some commodities.

Mr. COSGRAVE said that the object of the amendment was to ensure that the tax of 5s. on cement fell on the shoulders of the poorer people of the country.

The amendment was agreed to without a division.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to reduce the duty on rear reflectors on motor bicycles from seventy-five per cent. to twenty per cent.

The MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE (Mr. Lemass) said that some years ago there had been a firm manufacturing these articles, but it had ceased operations owing to competition from abroad. It was anticipated that their manufacture would now be recommended.

On a division, the amendment was defeated by 60 votes to 33.

ROOFING MATERIALS

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to reduce from fifty to twenty per cent. the tax on felting, felting substitute and other material imported for roofing materials. He said that this was one of a number of taxes tending to raise the cost of building materials.

Mr. LEMASS said that Irish-made roofing was cheaper and better than the imported materials. There had been a tariff of 37½ per cent. on imported roofing felt, and they had decided to increase it to fifty per cent., because, for some unaccountable reason, there was being imported about £10,000 worth of felt roofing every year. There were two factories here—one in Dublin and another in Waterford—capable of meeting all the country's requirements.

Mr. DOCKRELL said that it had been stated by a Government supporter that these duties were for protection, and that in no case would there be a higher duty on raw material than on the finished article. In this particular case, however, that was precisely what was happening.

Mr. COSGRAVE—Why not subject this to a quota?

Mr. LEMASS—That is not necessary.

Mr. BELTON (Indept., Dublin N.) said that they were putting industrialists into a glasshouse, where they would be free from any competition, and they would grow up a delicate plant—not able to stand the rough and tumble of the outside world.

HIGH TARIFFS

Mr. MOORE (F.F., Wicklow) said that if they wanted industry to develop here they would have to have these high tariffs—they were absolutely essential.

Mr. ANTHONY (Indept., Cork City) said that the Minister should consider seriously the reactions all these increased costs in building materials must ultimately have on rents.

Mr. LEMASS said that deputies opposite should stop slandering Irish industrialists, manufacturers, and workers.

Mr. MULCAHY said that the Minister had not told them anything about the industry he said was in existence here.

On a division the section was passed by 61 votes to 35.

MARBLE

On an amendment to exempt unworked marble from the 100 per cent. duty on marble and monumental stone,

Professor O'SULLIVAN asked what was the purpose of taxing imported white marble until there was a proper type of Irish white marble ready.

Mr. LEMASS said that there was white marble in Mayo, but it was unworked. There were certain Saorstát coloured marbles which could be substituted for imported marble, and they wanted to encourage that substitution. Irish marbles—green, black and red—were once in great demand, and were even exported. It was now desired at least to encourage a demand for Irish marble at home.

Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD (U.I., Carlow-Kilkenny) said that marble was chiefly used for works of beauty. If an artist had a conception of a work in white marble, could one of the Minister's officials come along and say: "We are satisfied, Mr. Leonardo da Vinci, that this should be in pink or green marble"? The Minister really could not act as an arbiter of taste in this country.

The MINISTER said that the big use of marble was in shop fronts, etc., not "works of beauty."

Professor THRIFT (Ind., Dublin University) said all these restrictions were having a deleterious effect on trade and industry. They caused a lot of trouble and expense. It was time enough to put these difficulties in the way of firms when there was some prospect of the material being available in an Irish quarry.

Professor Thrift, instancing the effects of import restrictions, said that the Minister, in imposing some time ago a duty on scientific instruments, had allowed exemption on instruments in educational institutions, etc. Yet this exemption was being availed of to a decreasing extent. The work of the institutions was suffering because the persons who were responsible for the use of scientific instruments in them found that the time, labour, and difficulty involved in getting duty exemptions on the instruments were even greater than the duty involved. Consequently, fewer instruments were now bought. The duty now proposed by the Minister was putting unnecessary difficulties and added cost in the way of business.

Professor O'SULLIVAN—That is the main business of the Minister's department.

The amendment was withdrawn.

PRAYER-BOOKS

Professor O'SULLIVAN moved an amendment to delete the 30 per cent. duty on prayer-books, missals, breviaries, hymnals, and other books used for the purpose of religious worship, and also Bibles and Testaments. The President of Maynooth College (the Right Rev. Mgr. McCaffrey), speaking from experience, had referred recently to what he termed "the very unfair heavy financial burden imposed on ecclesiastical students by the new Customs duty on liturgical books and Bibles."

Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD said that most liturgical books were printed for world circulation. The ridiculousness and futility of the tax was apparent to everybody.

Mr. LEMASS said that the question of imposing a duty on prayer-books was the subject of an inquiry by the Tariff Commission, the report of which was made available to the public. The primary object in imposing the duty was to relieve, as far as possible, the unemployment existing in the binding trade. The duty was not heavy, and afforded a certain margin of protection to Saorstat bookbinders and printers.

Mr. DESMOND FITZGERALD—Does the Minister suggest that importing printed sheets and binding them here is no additional cost?

Mr. LEMASS said that Maynooth College could do a good deal in this matter. They could place the largest orders for liturgical books, as they required about 200 a year. If they placed their order with any Dublin firm, that firm could make arrangements to bind the books and quote a satisfactory price.

Mr. FITZGERALD—Is the Minister suggest that Maynooth College is not doing its business properly?

Mr. LEMASS said that the consignment of sixty books referred to by the Right Rev. Monsignor McCaffrey, on which the College book store had to pay £74 in Customs duty, had been ordered before the duty was imposed. The President of Maynooth College could make arrangements in relation to future consignments.

VEXATIOUS

Professor THRIFT protested against any tax on books. The whole tax on books was fundamentally objectionable and vexatious. The revenue return from the tax was small and the amount of employment given negligible. A tax on books was unworthy of any

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NUGGET
BOOT POLISH
The Polish of
SUPREME QUALITY
BLACK, TAN, DARK BROWN, TONEY RED and WHITE.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

White Gloves.—At the opening of Manorhamilton Circuit Court, in the absence of criminal business, Judge Sheehy was presented with white gloves.

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Larceny of a Rug.—Eugene Brown, a native of Belfast, was at Ballybay Court yesterday sentenced to one month's imprisonment for stealing a rug belonging to Dr. Burke, Shercock.

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Nenagh Sewerage Contract. — Nenagh Urban Council accepted the tender of Mr. W. Leahy, Thurles, to lay a sewerage system to the Council's new housing scheme for the sum of £1,555, being the lowest tender sent in.

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Manslaughter Charge Fails.—At Dundalk Circuit Court, yesterday, before Judge Devitt and a jury, Matthew Fegan, a Dundalk shopkeeper, was found not guilty of the manslaughter of Miss Mary Bennett by striking her with his motor car at Castletown corner, on the morning of the 13th March.

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Cork Rates.—The secretary reported to Cork County Council yesterday that, of the total warrant for the year ended 31st March last, £437,773, the amount accounted for was £353,441. The amount irrecoverable was 2½ per cent.; temporarily irrecoverable, 16½ per cent.

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Listowel Council Inquiry.—At a meeting of the Listowel U.D.C., Mr. T. J. Sugrue, Chairman, presiding, a letter was read from the Department of Local Government stating that the Acting Minister had instructed the Inspector, Mr. J. McLysaght, to hold a local inquiry into the performance of the Council's duties on Friday, 12th July, at the Council Chamber, and requesting that all parties likely to be interested be notified.

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Government. It simply gave them a reputation for lack of intelligence and culture.

Mr. COSGRAVE said that it would be very undesirable if the craft of book-binding were allowed to die out in this country, but the Minister was not going the right way to preserve it. If the Minister really wanted to help the book-binder the thing to do would be to consult with the authorities in Maynooth and the heads of religious bodies to discover what their requirements in the way of religious books would be during the year, and then arrange to have the sheets imported and bound here.

Mr. LEMASS said that there would be no inconvenience if people placed their orders through Irish book-binding firms. In regard to liturgical books, he said that in some classes of these books they not only could be bound here, but they also could be printed in the country. Arrangements, in fact, had been made for some firms to print and bind these books. Some excellent examples of these works were available.

The amendment was defeated by 56 votes to 35.

PENCILS

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment in regard to the proposed duty of 33⅓ per cent. on imported pencils and pen handles.

The MINISTER said that a factory for the manufacture of lead pencils had been established in Mullingar, and would be in production shortly. Meantime licences for importation would be given. The factory would employ about sixty people of whom a considerable proportion would be men. The promoters had given an undertaking that the average prices of their articles would be approximately the same as those at present paid for the imported articles.

The amendment was postponed to the Report stage (for further information).

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to remove the tax of twopence per square yard on oilcloth. It was, he said, one of the long litany of taxes which the Minister was imposing on the poorer class of the community.

Mr. BELTON asked the Minister to say if they made oilcloth in this country.

The Minister declined to reply, and Mr. BELTON, appealing to the Chair, said that he had asked the Minister a question. Did he refuse to answer it? he asked.

The MINISTER (Mr. MacEntee) said that if the deputy wanted an answer he could put down a Parliamentary question. This was a revenue tax.

DAY OF RECKONING

Mr. BELTON—I asked a question, and common courtesy demands that I should get an answer. If the Minister is taking up such a contemptible attitude and treating this House and the country with such discourtesy, that is his funeral, but there will be a day of reckoning. I asked the Minister a question—Do we make oilcloth in this country, and, if so, where?

The Minister did not reply.

Mr. BELTON—He does not know—he is too stupid to know.

The amendment was rejected by 54 votes to 34.

Mr. MULCAHY then moved an amendment to delete the tax of two shillings a cwt. on rice, rice flour and rice meal. The Finance Bill and schedule, he said, contained many brutal taxes, but if there was one tax that could be described as mean this was the meanest.

Mr. BELTON asked the Minister to say where they were growing rice in this country, and if this tax was to help the home production of rice. Rice, which was a favourite pudding in the poor man's house, was now going to be taxed.

On a division the amendment was defeated by 54 votes to 39.

ROOFING SLATES

Mr. R. MULCAHY proposed an amendment seeking to delete the duty of 5s. a cwt. on imported roofing slates.

The House adjourned until 10.30 a.m. to-day.

SPECULATED ON A LARGE SCALE

IRISH MAJOR'S £650,000 LOSS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

IN the Chancery Division yesterday Mr. Justice Clauson further heard the case concerning the relations between a wealthy Irish-American and a man to whom he had given a power of attorney.

On summonses issued by Mr. Alfred T. Cheuhalls, chartered accountant, on behalf of Mr. Henry Nigel Norman, stepson of the late Major Edward Arthur Fitzgerald, of Marsden Manor, Cirencester, a Chancery Master had decided that Mr. Michael de Tchihatchef, one of Major Fitzgerald's executors, owed over £60,000 to the Major's estate. Mr. de Tchihatchef now asked the Court to vary the Master's certificate.

Major Fitzgerald, who died in January, 1931, was stated to be of Irish descent, and Mr. de Tchihatchef was a Russian who had become a naturalised British subject.

Major Fitzgerald was described as having speculated largely and lost about £400,000 in America and £250,000 in England. Mr. de Tchihatchef was given a power of attorney by Major Fitzgerald in 1929.

Mr. C. J. Conway, K.C., and Mr. R. H. L. Errington appeared for Mr. Norman; Mr. T. J. O'Conner, K.C., and Mr. R. Bacon represented Mr. de Tchihatchef; and Mr. B. Bathurst held a watching brief for Mr. Winthrop Dwight, the other executor of Major Fitzgerald.

Mr. T. J. O'Connor, for Mr. de Tchihatchef, referred to a sum of £25,000 spent on the purchase of shares, which Major Fitzgerald subsequently gave to Mr. de Tchihatchef, and said that a commission of £2,000 was paid to Mr. de Tchihatchef by a finance company in respect of sub-underwriting.

It had been suggested that the fact that the £2,000 was paid into Mr. de Tchihatchef's own account indicated that the transaction was not carried out on Major Fitzgerald's behalf, but Mr. de Tchihatchef's answer was that Major Fitzgerald knew about the £2,000 and allowed him to keep the money. That was before the Major had decided to make a gift of the shares to Mr. de Tchihatchef.

Shares bought for £11,000 by Mr. de Tchihatchef with Major Fitzgerald's money were next dealt with by Mr. O'Connor.

Replying to Mr. Justice Clauson, Mr. O'Connor said that Mr. de Tchihatchef's case was that he paid £36,000 for shares as Major Fitzgerald's agent.

Mr. Norman's contention was that Mr. de Tchihatchef took the £36,000 and used the money to buy shares which he now claimed were his own.

The hearing was adjourned until to-day.

FATAL NEWRY ACCIDENT

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

NEWRY, Thursday.

At an inquest held here to-day by Mr. R. S. Heron, Coroner, touching the death of John McLaughlin, farmer, Grinan, Newry, who died this morning following injuries received on Saturday through being knocked down by a motor car driven by Michael McGernon, Dundalk, and owned by Mr. M. J. McCardle, Dundalk, a verdict that death was due to shock was returned.

At a special Court held subsequently, the driver of the motor car was remanded on bail of £100 on a charge of manslaughter.

VICTIMS OF MOTOR ACCIDENT BURIED

The funerals of the three victims of the motor accident on Mount Street Bridge, Dublin, on Monday night last took place yesterday morning, and were attended by large numbers of people.

That of Patrick O'Toole, of New Bride street, took place after 10 o'clock Mass at the Carmelite Church, Whitefriar street, to Glasnevin. The funeral of William Hoey, of Grattan street, took place, also to Glasnevin, after Mass at St Andrew's, Westland row, and that of Leo Corr, of Power's court, took place from the same church to Dean's Grange Cemetery.

FISH-POISONING IN NENAGH

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

NENAGH, Thursday.

At Nenagh Urban Council last night, the Minister for Local Government forwarded a letter received from the Limerick Fishery Conservators, to whom it was written by Mr. Con Toohey, Nenagh, alleging that the fish were poisoned owing to the flow of sewage matter into the river.

Mr. L. J. Clune, M.C.C., attributed the cause of poisoning to the wash discharged from the Nenagh aluminium factory.

The Council decided to inform the Minister that local opinion is that the poisoning of the fish is not due to sewage matter flowing into the river.

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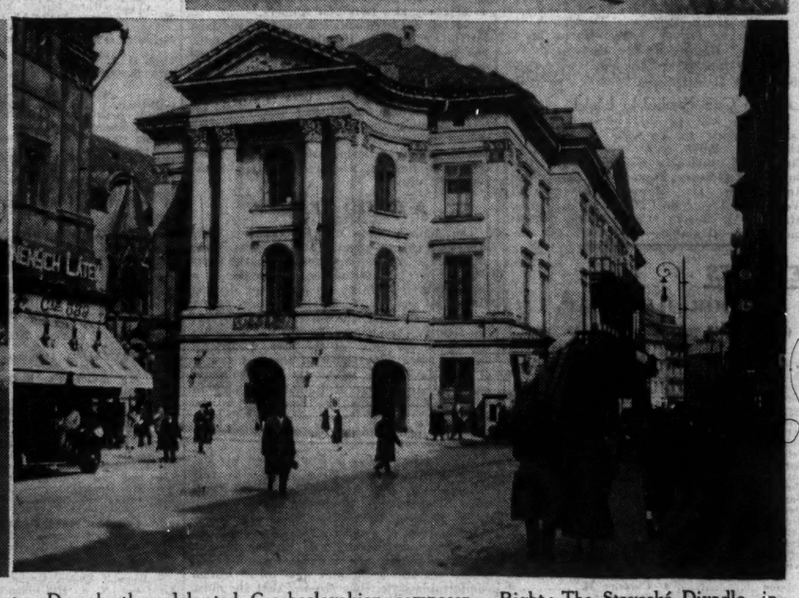
IRISH WEDDING IN LONDON : INDEPENDENCE DAY

MISS N. SHEEHAN (left), who beat Miss M. Frewen in a Women's Handicap Singles tie during yesterday's qualifying rounds of the Irish Open Tennis Championships at Fitzwilliam Club, Dublin.

LEAVING THE CHURCH of Holy Trinity, Sloan street, London, after the wedding of Mr. Robert Kennedy, son of the late Mr. Kennedy and of Mrs. Kennedy, Straffan, Co. Kildare, and Miss Catherine Gregory, daughter of the late Major R. Gregory, of Coole Park, Co. Galway, and of Mrs. Gough, Celbridge Abbey, Co. Kildare.

MR. ANKETELL (left) and Mr. E. G. Morris going out to play in the Lumsden Cup golf competition at Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, yesterday.

THE U.S. MINISTER, Mr. Alvin Mansfield Owsley, and Mrs. Owsley, with some of their guests, at yesterday's Independence Day reception at the American Legation, Phœnix Park, Dublin. Right: Masters Jeff and Douglas Orr Denby, sons of the Secretary to the Legation, arriving with Miss Lee.



MUSICAL ASSOCIATIONS in Czechoslovakia. Above (left): The birthplace of Anton Dvorak, the celebrated Czechoslovakian composer. Right: The Stavoské Divadlo, in Prague, now connected with the National Theatre movement and servingmostly for dramatic performances, but founded originally in 1781 as an opera house. Here "Don Giovanni" and several other of Mozart's operas were produced for the first time.

MEMBERS of the 3rd (St. Ann's) and 31st (St. Kevin's) Companies of the Dublin Boys' Brigade photographed at Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, last night, before leaving for Germany to camp.

AT THE DINNER of the Irish Medical Association, in the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, on Wednesday night. Left to right are: Dr. McGrath, Dr. J. J. McCarthy, Dr. R. P. McDonnell, the Lord Mayor, Dr. R. J. Rowlette, T.D. (President, Irish Medical Association); Mr. Conor Maguire (Attorney-General), Mr. Seton Pringle, Dr. L. Kidd, and Dr. Shanley.

TRYING THEIR WINGS—A camera study of four baby blue tits who are learning to fly. It is to be hoped that the little fellow on the right knows something about the art.

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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

MILITARY LORRY IN COLLISION

MINISTER FOR DEFENCE SUED

(BEFORE JUDGE SHANNON.)

An action for personal injuries and damage to a motor cycle, brought by William Keogh, Rathcoole, County Dublin, against the Minister for Defence, was dismissed yesterday on the grounds that both drivers were guilty of negligence.

It was stated for the plaintiff that on 7th July last year he was riding a motor cycle along the South Circular road, Dublin, at Island Bridge, when a military lorry emerged without warning from the gate of the Remount Barracks, leaving the plaintiff no option but to crash into it.

Walter Lonergan, the driver of the military lorry, stated that the military policeman came out, as usual, and then went back to close the gate of the barracks.

He saw the motor cycle approaching and sounded his horn, but the driver had his head turned to one side, and waved his hand to somebody in a stationary 'bus which he was passing out. The witness's lorry was diagonally across the road, and he pulled up.

The Judge said that he would make an order that each side should bear their own costs.

Mr. W. Fallon (instructed by Mr. J. Sheil, solicitor) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. R. McLoughlin (instructed by Mr. D. O'Donovan, State Solicitor's Office) appeared for the Minister for Defence.

DUBLIN WORKMAN'S INJURIES

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION

(BEFORE JUDGE SHANNON.)

Refusing an application under the Workmen's Compensation Act, made by Thomas Honer, 14 Golden lane, Dublin, Judge Shannon said that the applicant was deserving of the greatest sympathy. Honer, he said, had made a mistake in supposing that the respondents, Messrs. Doherty and Company, expected him to do work which he was incapacitated for carrying out.

The evidence was that Honer, who was employed by Messrs. Doherty and Co., coal merchants, 4 Westmoreland street, Dublin, was working at the ss. Sussex at the South Wall when he met with an accident which rendered his right hand permanently useless. The accident occurred on February 22nd, 1934, and he was paid at the rate of 35s. per week compensation. On February 2nd, 1935, he was offered light work, which was refused on the grounds that he would have to fend off coal tubs, carry ladders and set up flares, which, it was stated, he was physically unable to do.

Mr. A. Powell (instructed by Mr. C. B. W. Boyle, solicitor) appeared for Honer; and Mr. P. McGilligan (instructed by Messrs. Peebles, Knox and Pigot) appeared for Messrs. Doherty.

Mr. McGilligan said that the work of fending off, carrying ladders, or setting up flares was not the type of work meant. He would only have to "sing out" to the men in the hold of the ship.

Judge Shannon asked if the work was still available.

Mr. McGilligan said that the man could start work in the morning.

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ELECTION OF DIOCESAN COUNCIL

The Diocesan Synod of Elphin and Ardagh elected the following to the Diocesan Council:—

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

THE RISE OF PRICES

Fairbairn's Victory : Splendid Performance of Bellacose

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Thursday Night.

BEFORE I deal with the notable features of the racing this afternoon, such as the smashing performance of Bellacose in winning the July Cup, and the hollow victory of Fairbairn in the Princess of Wales's Stakes, the yearling sales of the week that concluded this morning can be touched on.

They have been very good, indeed. There has been no time to make an analysis of the figures, but the official total of the sales during the three days has been 86,007 guineas, against a total of 48,506 guineas twelve months ago.

There was, of course, the racing stable of Mr. and Mrs. Esmond Harmsworth disposed of, and these lots helped to swell the total. They did not, however, swell it materially, for the only high-priced lot sold was Cyrus, who made 3,200 guineas.

It seemed a good deal for a colt that has not accomplished a great deal; but, as I have often said here, one like this for sale is very hard to find. The best of the Harmsworth lots, a Blandford filly, was withdrawn at 4,100 guineas.

A Concrete Example

A concrete example of the rise in the prices of bloodstock that has been so apparent this week was that of a yearling I saw this morning by a sire that only had his first crop of foals last season. During the depression he would not have made a penny more than five hundred, at the outside, in face of competition, and might have gone for a good deal less.

There were several trainers this morning prepared to go to eight hundred for him, or, perhaps, stretch another fifty. He made two thousand guineas. That is, I think, a fair example of the trend of these sales.

The twelve lots offered by the National Stud last night made 19,380 guineas as compared with 11,955 guineas for nine lots last year. The highest-priced one was a Blandford filly that fell to the Aga Khan—a buyer as well as a seller this week—for 5,000 guineas.

The Blandford filly from Tillia went to Captain Boyd-Rochfort at 3,100 guineas, and he was also the buyer of a Fairway colt at 3,200 guineas. This was the figure made by a Bosworth—Lioness colt to Sir Abe Bailey's representative.

The Best Price

The best price for a colt this week was the 4,200 guineas which Mr. Rowland Rank's Cameronian made to Mr. J. A. Dewar. A Foxlaw filly sold this morning by Lord St. Davids made 4,000 guineas, the buyer being Mrs. Glorney.

There was no really spectacular yearling this week to send millionaires bidding against each other. It was the all-round strength of the market that was the feature of the sales. One thing I know, and that is, that breeders who have good yearlings to sell at Doncaster, and were here this week testing the pulse of the market, went away delighted with themselves and their prospects in September.

What I have written before about this week marking a steady and progressive rise in prices of bloodstock remains good, so long as money remains as cheap as it is at present, and so long as political conditions remain staple people will be thinking that bloodstock is a first-class investment.

Easy Winner

The racing to-day was really excellent. The hot sun was tempered by a breeze, and it was all-round the best of the three days. The people came in enormous numbers again. Fairbairn was an easy winner of the Princess of Wales's Stakes from Adept, who did not carry Lord Astor's first colours, these being given to the jockey on the three-year-old Flash Bye, who ran nothing like as well as his stable companion, though he finished in front of another in the same ownership, Caracol.

Adept was in front at the distance, but well though he ran he could not give 26lb. to the three-year-old, who beat him by three lengths. Black Devil carried Mr. Woodward's second colours, but he beat his stable companion, Alcazar, for third place, finishing four lengths behind the second.

The superlatively good performance of the day, and the best on the part of a three-year-old sprinter that I have seen for many a year, was that of Bellacose in winning the July Cup under 9st. 8lb. by three-parts of a length from Strathcarron.

A Terrific Sprinter

Now, Strathcarron is a terrific sprinter when he gets away as he did to-day, for he and Apollo were first out of the gate. At weight-for-age he should have been giving Bellacose 12lb.; actually he was receiving 5lb. It was inconceivable to many people that any three-year-old could beat Strathcarron at 17lb. worse than weight-for-age, but Bellacose did, and did it comfortably. Furthermore, the three-year-old dwelt at the gate, where he must have lost four lengths.

Rufus Beasley rode him beautifully, for he came along to take closer order, and having got the position he wanted he held him up. A furlong from home he must have been two lengths behind Strathcarron. Then he let him down and he ate up the ground, overhauled the other flier and beat him handsomely.

Third, a length and a half away, was Sandra; while Flamenco, who was the only one to whom Bellacose was not giving weight, was fourth. When I say that Knighted, who was receiving the gelding allowance, only finished fifth, some idea of the merit of this magnificent performance can be gauged.

Not Seen with a Chance

Winandermere, a winner of the Cork and Orrery at Ascot, was not even seen in the race with a chance; nor was Commander III., a fast five-year-old that was receiving 21lb. from the winner.

When his breeder, Mr. Cotton, who bred him from his Golden Orb mare, Orbella, and raced him last year, offered the son of Sir Cosmo at the December Sales he made only 1,500 guineas on account of his reputation of being bad at the gate. Jack Colling passed him on to a new owner and patron of his stable, Mr. Phillip Dunne, after he had won for him at Liverpool in the first week of the season.

The Exeter Stakes, one of our important two-year-old events, was easily won by the Aga Khan's Mahmoud, who beat Vanbrugh by three lengths after making all the running. When Vanbrugh had a feeler at him a furlong out, Mahmoud easily drew away from him.

Both first and second are by Blenheim, but I imagine that at the present time yesterday's winner, the filly by Sir Cosmo from Jocanta, could make rings round both.

Outstanding Sires

Sir Cosmo and Fairway, sire of the July Stakes winner, Daytona, and of Fairbairn, are the outstandingly successful sires of this week.

The Girton Handicap for three-year-old fillies was not one that lent itself to prodigious speculation, and the favourite here, Lady Derby's Leger Day, was well beaten by both Good Deal and Charmian, who had two lengths and four lengths to spare from her.

Although the winner of the last race, Shove Halfpenny, was a 10 to 1 chance, Gordon Richards's consistent followers roared him home when he beat Millrock by a length and a half. This one is a cast-off from the stable of Frank Butters, and is now trained by Dutton, who won the Grand National on Tipperary Tim.

Selections

For a last day, the card is a good one to-morrow. I choose SHINING TOR to beat Greenore in the Waterbeach Handicap. In the Ellesmere Stakes WATER MARTEN may beat Woodstock. Trelissia, in the absence of TIDE-WAY, is chosen to win the Fulbourne Stakes; while BRECKNOCK seems to have an outstanding chance in the Milton Handicap.

GALTEE MORE.

NEWMARKET PROGRAMME

2.0—IXWORTH THREE-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. For three-year-olds. 5 f.

	st. lb.
SANSOFINE (Ld. Glanely) ..... Hogg	9 3
BROWN KATE (Mr. P. Gribbie) ... Briscoe	9 0
PERFECT PICTURE (Mr. J. Leach) ..... J. Leach	9 0
YUGO (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) ..... O. Bell	9 0
ETA (Mr. P. S. Austen) ..... C. Waugh	9 0
WHIMSICAL WALKER (Mr. J. Bell) ..... J. Bell	8 10
CYCLAMEN (Maj. J. S. Courtauld) B. Jarvis	8 10
BLUE HORIZON (Miss Dorothy Paget) ..... Briscoe	8 10
VEILED (Mr. F. N. P. Browne) T. R. Leader	8 7
BASTION (Mr. S. H. Darling) ...S. Darling	8 7
ZAMBESI (Lady Durham) ..... Lambton	8 7
WARD END (Mr. F. H. Haynes) ..... Barling	8 7
HEXHAM (Mrs. Arthur James) ....C. Leader	8 7
COCKTAIL (Mr. G. Lambton) ..... Lambton	8 7
COMANACHE (Mrs. Florence Nagle) ..... Briscoe	8 7
SAMBUCUS (Mr. E. T. Thornton-Smith) ..... Templeman	8 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
000	PERFECT PICTURE	100/7
200	YUGO ..... H. Wragg	4/1
304	ETA ..... R. Perryman	7/1
000	WHIMSICAL WALKER S. Middleton	100/7
000	CYCLAMEN ..... T. Lowrey	8/1
000	VEILED ..... R. Jones	100/7
00	BASTION ..... G. Richards	10/1
000	ZAMBESI ..... W. Rickaby	100/7
000	COCKTAIL ..... T. Weston	10/1
044	COMANCHE ..... C. Smirke	100/30
002	SAMBUCUS ..... M. Beary	9/1
03	BLUE HORIZON	

2.30—ELLESMERE STAKES of 3 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. 1 m. 3 f.

	Age st. lb.
BLACK DEVIL (Mr. W. Woodward) ..... B. Rochfort	4 9 5
PHŒBUS (Lord Hirst) ..... Templeman	4 9 2
SWEET LEGEND (Lady Herbert) Cottrill	4 9 2
QUAI D'ORSAY II. (Mr. Kahn) ..... F. Hartigan	4 9 0
HOMILY (Sir J. Sassoon) ..... H. Jarvis	4 9 0
CARPET KNIGHT (Mr. G. Dicke) Laye	4 8 9
BREAKWATER (Lord Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	4 8 5
BUNKER (Lord Derby) ..... C. Leader	3 8 3
WATER MARTEN (Mr. Martineau) ..... Lambton	3 7 15
TRIBULATION (Capt. Brouchton) ..... R. J. Colling	3 7 12
LAW COURT (Col. Halse) ..... W. Nightingall	3 7 9
HARMONY HALL (Mr. Morriss) ..... F. Darling	3 7 7
WOODSTOCK (Mr. Guinness) ..... B. Rochfort	3 7 7
ORGANDIE (Lord Derby) ..... C. Leader	3 7 4
BLUE PENCIL (Mr. Morrsee) ..... F. Darling	3 7 4

Form.	Probable Runners and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
001	PHŒBUS ..... C. Smirke	8/11
000	HOMILY ..... S. Donoghue	8/1
430	QUAI D'ORSAY II. ..... J. Sirett	100/8
101	BUNKER ..... R. Perryman	7/2
000	WATER MARTEN ..... W. Rickaby	100/8
401	WOODSTOCK ..... G. Richards	5/1

3.0—WATERBEACH HANDICAP (sweepstakes), with 800 sovs. added. 6 f. Age. st. lb.

SHINING TOR (Lord Derby)	C. Leader	4 9 9
GREENORE (Lady Lindlow)	O. Bell	6 9 3
UNLIKELY (Baron de Tuyll)	F. Hartigan	3 8 7
FLYING SPEAR II. (Mr. Blagrave)	Owner	5 8 5
PEGASUS (Mr. J. P. Hornung)	B. Jarvis	4 7 11
FELTON (Sir H. C. Owen)	O. Bell	4 7 10
GAY VENTURE (Mr. Parkinson)	T. Waugh	4 7 9
ETON BLUE (Lord Rosebery)	J. Jarvis	3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
010	SHINING TOR ..... R. Perryman	7/2
422	GREENORE ..... T. Weston	9/4
423	UNLIKELY ..... G. Richards	9/2
000	FLYING SPEAR II. ..... Wragg	6/1
320	FLYING SPEAR II. ..... T. Lowrey	10/1
100	PEGASUS ..... S. Wragg	10/1
000	FELTON ..... C. Richards	10/1
000	GAY VENTURE ..... D. Smith	10/1
014	ETON BLUE	

3.30—FULBOURNE STAKES, with 400 sovs. added. For two-year-olds. 5 f. 140 yds. st. lb.

FLOWER SHOW F. (Sir F. Eley) Templeman	9 4
BADR-UL-MOLK (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... Fk. Butters	9 0
STRAPETO (Maj. McCalmont) ..... Lambton	9 0
PAY UP (Lord Astor) ..... Lawson	8 9
WINDRUSH (Mr. J. V. Rank) ..... Beatty	8 9
FOXPLAY (Sir Victor Sassoon) ..... B. Jarvis	8 9
SIR AMOS (Mr. W. Woodward) B. Rochfort	8 9
SQUADRON CASTLE (Mrs. Ahern) ... Higgs	8 9
TRELISSIA (Sir W. Burbidge) ..... J. Jarvis	8 6
VERVELLE F. (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) G. Bell	8 6
TIDE-WAY (Lord Derby) ..... C. Leader	8 6
SAXICOLA (Lord Durham) ..... Lambton	8 6
EMBUCHE (Mr. M. Field) ..... B. Rochfort	8 6
NILOUFER (H.H. Aga Khan) Fk. Butters	8 6
CHARLOTTE BRONTE (Lord Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	8 6
LOLA MONTEZ (Lord Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	8 6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
120	FLOWER SHOW F. ..... G. Richards	5/1
110	BADR UL MOLK ..... C. Smirke	6/1
10	STRAPETO ..... H. Beasley	100/8
042	SQUADRON CASTLE ..... R. Dick	5/1
3	PAY UP ..... S. Donoghue	7/2
	FOXPLAY	100/6
10	WINDRUSH	8/1
000	SIR AMOS ..... E. Smith	100/6
	TRELISSIA ..... H. Wragg	100/6
000	VERVELLE F.	5/2
4	TIDE WAY ..... R. Perryman	100/6
	EMBUCHE	
	NILOUFER ..... F. Fox	10/1

4.0—PRINCESS' STAKES, with 200 sovs. added. For two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.

NAKOMIS (Mr. G. H. Fairhurst) ..... F. Armstrong	9 1
SYMPHONY (Miss Sweeney) ..... Gilpin	8 12
BOLD MAIDEN (Mr. L. Corbett) ..... Kirk	8 12
STRAPETO (Maj. McCalmont) ...Lambton	8 12
GRAND WARRIOR (Mr. Foster) ..... Briscoe	8 10
SEVERINO (Sir Abe Bailey) ..... Lawson	8 7
MOCK MODESTY C. (Mr. J. Binney) ..... H. Leach	8 7
SILVER WHIP C. (Mrs. F. A. Clark) Cottrill	8 7
MY QUEEN C. (Mr. G. M. Deeley) ..... Walters	8 7
RICHMOND GEM (Sir F. Meyer) Dundas	8 7
TELAMON (Mr. Z. Michalinos) H. Powney	8 7
COPPERFIELD (Mr. Middleman) ...Allden	8 7
SABLE MARTEN (Mr. Pilkington) ..... Briscoe	8 7
DAVOS F. (Mr. S. Wootton) ..... Wootton	8 7
FIRST IMPRESSION (Mr. Prichard) ..... F. Hartigan	8 7
VAUXDAILE F. (Mr. S. Wootton) Wootton	8 7
MELI MELO (Mr. Macomber) ..... Beatty	8 7
CORBAN (Capt. L. Montagu) ..... Earl	8 7
BALLYWELLBROKE (Mr. Mosenthal) ..... R. Adams	8 7
MONTESANO (Maj. Courtauld) ... B. Jarvis	8 7
SILVER CREST (Sir J. Jarvis) J. Jarvis	8 7
MYTHICAL PRINCE (Lady Lyons) Earl	8 7
PENNY ROYAL (Mr. T. Smith) Templeman	8 7
RAWANA (Mr. M. Vagliano) .....S. Darling	8 7
FLYAWAY (Sir L. Phillipps) ..... J. Jarvis	8 7
ZEUS (Mrs. C. Beatty) ..... Lawson	8 7
ROUGH RIDER (Mr. F. W. Dennis) Digby	8 7
OUTBREAK (Mr. J. A. Dewar) F. Darling	8 7
MASTICATE (Mrs. H. S. Gray) ..... Gilpin	8 7
MURKY PAST (Maj. Barclay) ... N. Cannon	8 4
PARITY (His Majesty) ..... W. Jarvis	8 4
SALOPETTE (Mr. A. Barclay) Fred Butters	8 4
IRENIA F. (Sir R. Owen) ..... O. Bell	8 4
CORA PEARL (Miss D. Edmond) J. Jarvis	8 4
MISS PICK (Col. B. C. Fairfax) ..... Earl	8 4
PRESSIT (Mr. W. Humble) R. J. Colling	8 4
TOWTON MOOR (Mrs. A. James) ..... C. Leader	8 4
CHLOE G. (Capt. Lord) ...R. J. Colling	8 4
JONEEN (Mr. E. C. Nolan) ...R. J. Colling	8 4
CRESTED CRANE (Sir L. Philipps) ..... B. Jarvis	8 4
WILL HAY (Mrs. Rogerson) ..... Earl	8 4
SIXTINE (M. St. Alary) ..... Gilpin	8 4
DEJA THORRIS F. (Mrs. H. Sanderson) ..... C. Waugh	8 4
FLYING FISH F. (Mr. J. Whitney) ..... Boyd-Rochfort	8 4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
211	SYMPHONY ..... G. Nicoll	6/2
	or SIXTINE ..... G. Nicoll	5/2
	ZEUS	20/1
0	SILVER WHIP COLT ..... H. Wragg	4/1
0	MONTESANO ..... T. Lowrey	6/1
014	MASTICATE ..... H. Jelliss	7/1
000	MYTHICAL PRINCE ..... H. Jelliss	20/1
0	MELI MELO ..... A. Wragg	10/1
0	MY QUEEN COLT ..... C. Richards	20/1
00	TELAMON ..... T. Weston	20/1
240	COPPERFIELD	10/1
1	CORBAN ..... B. Carslake	10/1
0	FLYAWAY ..... E. Smith	20/1
324	FIRST IMPRESSION ..... J. Sirett	100/8
	RAWANA ..... G. Richards	20/1
010	DAVOS F.	100/6
03	PARITY ..... F. Fox	100/6
0	SALOPETTE ..... F. Lane	20/1
00	MURKY PAST ..... S. Donoghue	20/1
0	PRESSIT ..... P. Evans	20/1
2	TOWTON MOOR ..... H. Perryman	100/6
4	JONEEN ..... P. Beasley	8/1
0	CRESTED CRANE	20/1
00	WILL HAY ..... W. Wells	20/1
	DEJA THORRIS FILLY ..... A. Richardson	20/1
	FLYING FISH FILLY ..... M. Beary	20/1

4.30—MILTON HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. 1 m 2 f. 26 yds. Age st. lb.

CONWAY (Mr. H. J. Simms) ...Digby	6 9 1
NISONA (Mrs. F. O. Benner) ..... W. Nightingall	4 8 13
AMORETTO (Mr. T. B. Ellis) ...Thrale	4 8 9
NORTH DEVON (Lord Glanely) Hogg	5 8 9
WINNING POST (Mrs. Crossman) ..... R. Adams	4 8 6
BOSTON WEST (Mr. T. H. Farr) J. Jarvis	3 8 5
ABBOTS FERRY (Mr. H. Simmonds) ..... Dick	6 8 1
SMOKE SCREEN (Mr. D. Pender) ..... Cottrill	3 8 1
ZINDER (Mr. H. Blundell) ... Whitaker	3 8 0
BRECKNOCK (Sir F. Towle) ..... S. Darling	3 7 13
VIENI PRESTO (Mrs. Jaggard) Barling	4 7 11
WESTERN WAVE (Mr. Murray) ..... B. Rochfort	4 7 8
BIRDCAGE WALK (Mr. Baillie) ..... D. Waugh	4 7 7
GRANVILLE (Mr. F. Weeden) ..... C. Leader	4 7 7
SICCA (Mr. V. Hobbs) ..... V. Hobbs	6 7 6
PLUNGER (Mrs. C. Beatty) ..... Lawson	3 7 6
RHYTHM (Mr. G. Peck) ..... G. Sadler	4 7 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting. Forecast.
030	CONWAY ..... T. Weston	7/1
034	NISONA ..... A. Wragg	10/1
010	NORTH DEVON ..... A. Wragg	10/1
123	WINNING POST ..... R. A. Jones	10/1
312	BOSTON WEST ..... E. Smith	100/8
300	ABBOT'S FERRY	20/1
300	SMOKE SCREEN ..... M. Beary	100/8
0	ZINDER ..... S. Donoghue	5/1
001	BRECKNOCK ..... G. Richards	4/1
120	VIENI PRESTO ..... A. Richardson	7/1
000	WESTERN WAVE ..... C. Richards	8/1
404	BIRDCAGE WALK ..... D. Smith	100/8
001	GRANVILLE ..... P. Evans	7/1
22	SICCA ..... F. Fox	20/1
202	PLUNGER ..... J. Lirett	8/1

LATEST SCRATCHINGS—Ixworth Three Years Old Selling Plate—Marsh Mallow. Ellesmere Stakes—Sunstruck, Wolsey II. Fulbourne Stakes—Carlino. Princess Stakes—Idle Lady filly, Berkeley Hunt.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

Ixworth Plate—**Sambucus.**
Ellesmere Stakes—**Bunker.**
Waterbeach Handicap—**Shining Tor.**
Fulbourne Stakes—**Flower Show filly** (nap).
Princess Stakes—**Montesano.**
Milton Handicap—**Granville.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Flower Show filly and Bunker.

A CHANCE FOR BUNKER

Shining Tor May Defy Weight in Waterbeach Handicap

ALTHOUGH the field for the Waterbeach Handicap at Newmarket to-day will not be big, this six furlongs event may provide the most interesting feature of the day. The weights have been so cleverly compiled that almost every runner appears to have a distinct chance on some form.

Lord Derby's French-bred colt, Shining Tor, will be giving weight all round. He missed the July Cup, because it was thought that he had a better chance in this company. His only victory in this country was in the mile and 110 yards Craven Plate at Epsom in Derby week. He showed speed in the Royal Hunt Cup, for which he was strongly fancied. I recall that he was in a winning position after six furlongs had been covered.

Greenore, who also missed the July Cup, is not so speedy as formerly, though he has a consistent record. He was trying to concede 3lb. when second to Shalfleet at Ascot. In the Royal Stakes at Epsom last month he finished fourth to Quadrille Boy.

Unlikely, who was second, meets him on similar terms. As Unlikely always runs his races out gamely, I think he is to be preferred of the pair. On his last appearance at Newbury, Unlikely was beaten only a short head and a head by Kofi, who was receiving 26lb.

Flying Spear II., who has plenty of speed, has less to do in this company than was the case in the Wokingham Stakes. He usually runs well over this course. Pegasus has not shone in handicap company this season. Recalling that he won three successive races at the back-end of last season, I think he is one to keep on the right side.

Felton has an attractive weight, though it is a long time since he was concerned in a finish. Eton Blue just missed a place in the Penrhyn Cup at Hurst Park. He will appreciate this shorter distance. In a very open race, I take my chance with

SHINING TOR.

The Ellesmere Stakes has cut up disappointingly. Phœbus is in form, and Quai D'Orsay II. would have more to do in a handicap. The best favoured by weight conditions, and the probable winner, to my mind, is

BUNKER.

He carried 1st. more to victory over this distance at Newcastle.

The Bunker colours should also be to the fore in the Fulbourne Stakes on Tide-Way. This good-looking filly ran "green" when fourth to Fair Ranee at Ascot. Nevertheless, I stand

FLOWER SHOW FILLY,

who was badly hampered in the same race.

MONTESANO

is a strong tip for the Princess Stakes. He is reported to have shown excellent progress at home since running well in Pike Barn's race at Ascot.

GRANVILLE

may notch another success in the Milton Handicap.

NEWMARKET SALES

Brisk Bidding for Yearlings at the Final Session

Although so many buyers wait for Doncaster, the business in yearlings was exceptionally good at the Newmarket First July Sales this week. The final session yesterday yielded 24,935 guineas for forty-six lots. Top price, 4,000 guineas, was forthcoming for Lord St. David's brown filly by Foxlaw out of the Friar Marcus mare, Dame Caution, and Mrs. Corlette Glorney, who has been a prominent purchaser during the sales, secured this highly promising filly.

Lord St. Davids had an average of exactly 800 guineas for his twelve yearlings.

There was keen competition for Lady Barbara Smith's handsome brown colt by Bosworth out of Verdict, a half-brother to Quashed, this year's Oaks winner. Mr. Donald Fraser was anxious to buy him, but at 3,800 guineas he gave way to Lord Nunburnholme. Details:—

YEARLINGS

Property of a Gentleman.

Dangerous, gr. c. by Hot Night—Miss Hazelwood (Mr. E. C. Sykes) 300

Property of Mr. E. L. Gosling.

Rose d'Argent, b. c. by Rose En Soleil—Silver Steel (Mr. W. E. Livock) 2000

Foxy Green, ch. f. by Foxlaw—Quenda (Mr. J. S. Austen) 260

(From the Theakston Hall Stud.)

Br. f. by Lemnarchus—Giraffee (Mr. A. B. Briscoe) 700

Property of Mr. James Dickie.

Br. c. by Le Voleur—Springsheet (Captain O. Bell) 150

Property of Mr. Bruce Rogers.

Ch. c. by Artist's Proof—Tendeleyo (Mr. Jack Leach) 900

Property of the Misses Sapwell.

Br. c. by Truculent—Belle of the West (Mr. J. S. Austen) 320

Property of Captain Arthur Fitzgerald.

Gr. c. by Mr. Jinks—Waritza (Mrs. Corlette Glorney) 2100

Property of Lady Barbara Smith.

B. c. by Pondicherry—Zetta (Mr. F. H. Haynes) 150

Br. c. by Bosworth—Verdict (Lord Nunburnholme) 3800

Property of Captain H. J. Gullan.

Ch. f. by Torbernia—Fly Maid (Mr. J. Jarvis) 330

Property of Mrs. St. G. P. Kirk.

B. c. by Cyclonic—Sunvera (Mr. R. J. Colling) 250

Property of Viscount St. Davids.

Gr. c. by Baytown—Celandine (Mr. F. Templeman) 240

Ch. c. by Friar Marcus—Shireen (Mr. R. J. Colling) 420

Br. c. by Haine—Queen of the Foam (Captain O. Bell) 810

B. f. by Lemnarchus—Miss Sport (Captain P. Whitaker) 1000

Ch. f. by Noble Star—Mademoiselle M. (Mr. C. C. Sykes) 350

Br. f. by Foxlaw—Dame Caution (Mrs. Corlette Glorney) 4000

B. f. by Foxlaw—Moonshine (Mr. H. Cottrill) 320

B. f. by Press Gang—Aloe (Captain P. Whitaker) 1650

Ch. f. by Haine—Spicilma (Mr. H. Smyth) 100

Br. f. by Haine—Kertor (Mr. P. Alden) 170

B. f. by Haine—Wireaway (Mr. H. Cottrill) 190

B. or br. f. by Friar Marcus—Gay Tilly (Mr. F. Darling) 350

Property of Mr. Frank A. Battcliffe.

Fledermaus, br. c. by Truculent—Flounce (Major Holliday) 580

Pleasure, b. f. by Blue Ensign—My Pet (Mr. H. Smyth) 80

Property of Mr. E. T. Pritchard.

B. c. by Apple Sammy—Queen Candida (Mr. P. Three) 760

B. or br. by Apple Sammy—Flaming Rose (Mr. H. Rich) 125

Property of Mr. J. F. Franklin.

Ch. c. by Christopher Robin—kisky (Mr. P. Thrale) 350

Property of Mr. E. Hyslop Bell.

Tyrreleos, ch. c. by Thyestes—Tyrrel (Captain Fsey) 150

Property of the Hon. H. Tufton.

Gr. c. by Thyestes—Kalepot (Mr. G. E. Cloke). 270

Property of Mr. W. Walters.

B. c. by Sir Cosmo—Pompeia (Mr. R. J. Colling) 760

Property of Lt.-Col. P. G. Robinson.

Ch. c. by Hot Night—Bel Respero (Mr. E. Gwill) 300

NEWMARKET RESULTS

2.0—HAUGHLEY T.Y.O. (S.) PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

Lord Beatty's TAGRA F., by Plantago, 8-5 ..... A. Wragg 1

Mr. E. C. Nolan's NAUTICAL MOMENTS, 8-5 ..... P. Beasley 2

Mr. S. H. Darling's KATIE F., 8-5 ..... G. Richards 3

Also ran—Health Tax (H. Beasley), Jinker (A. Richardson), Gice (E. Smith), Lively (R. Jones), Allied (K. Gethin), Bell Press (T. Lowrey), Sequin (T. Weston) (Winner trained by Major Beatty.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Katie f., 5 to 2 TAGRA F., 3 to 1 Heath Tax, 100 to 8 each Allied and Sequin, 100 to 7 Bell Press, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 7/-; places, 2/9, 11/9, 2/9.

Won by two lengths; three-quarters of a length. Sequin was fourth and Glee last. Winner sold to Mr. A. S. Chapman for 430 gns.

2.30—EXETER T.Y.O. STAKES of £830. 6 f.

H.H. Aga Khan's gr. or ro. c. MAHMOUD, by Blenheim—Mah Mahal, 8-12 ..... F. Fox 1

Mr. J. A. Dewar's VANBRUGH, 9-2 ..... G. Richards 2

Miss D. Paget's HESPER F., 8-9 ..... S. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Scyllias (T. Weston), Cash (R. A. Jones), Pizarro (A. Wragg), Heraldry II. (T. Lowrey), Bultoi (J. Childs), Solar Magnet (E. Smith), Pendulum (K. Gethin), Simonetta (C. Rawles). (Winner trained by Frank Butters.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. MAHMOUD, 5 to 2 Vanbrugh, 7 to 2 Pizarro, 10 to 1 Hesper f., 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/-; places, 2/6, 2/9, 5/3.

Won by three lengths; one length. Cash was fourth and Heraldry II. last.

3.0—PRINCESS OF WALES'S STAKES of £2,720 to the winner, 300 sovs to second, and 100 sovs. to third. 1¼ m.

Lieut.-Colonel G. Loder's ch. c. FAIRBAIRN, by Fairway—Baby Polly, 3, 7-7 (car. 7-8) ..... G. Richards 1

Lord Astor's b. c. ADEPT, by Gainsborough—Pennycomequick, 4, 9-6 ..... B. Carslake 2

Mr. W. Woodward's br. c. BLACK DEVIL, by Sir Gallahad II.—La Palina, 4, 9-3 ..... P. Beasley 3

Mr. T. Lant's Achtenan, 4, 9-0 ..... R. Perryman 0

Mr. W. Woodward's Alcazar, 4, 9-3 ..... J. Brennan 0

Lord Astor's Caracol, 4, 9-12 ..... R. Dick 0

Lord Astor's Flash Bye, 3, 8-8 ..... R. A. Jones 0

Colonel W. F. Story's Pampas Grass, 3, 8-5 ..... E. Smith 0

Miss J. B. Courtauld's Spanner, 3, 7-7 ..... H. Wragg 0

(Winner trained by Gilpin.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. FAIRBAIRN, 4 to 1 Pampas Grass, 5 to 1 Alcazar, 6 to 1 Flash Bye, 8 to 1 Adept, 10 to 1 Black Devil, 100 to 7 Achtenan, 50 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/6; places, 2/9, 6/3, 5/9.

THE RACE.

Black Devil came into view followed by Adept, Fairbairn, Alcazar and Flash Bye. Black Devil lost his place about a quarter of a mile from home, when Fairbairn made his effort, and, holding off Adept, win by three lengths; four lengths, Alcazar was fourth, Pampas Grass fifth, Flash Bye sixth, Achtenan seventh, and Spanner last. Time—2 mins 32 secs.

3.30—JULY CUP of £1,085. 6 f.

Mr. P. Dunne's br. c. BELLACOSE, by Sir Cosmo—Orbella, 3, 9-10 ..... P. Beasley 1

Mr. H. Collins's STRATHCARRON, 6, 9-5 ..... R. A. Jones 2

Mr. J. Hart's SANDRA H., 4, 9-5 ..... F. Fox 3

Also ran—Flamenco (E. Smith), Commander III. (H. Beasley), Knighted (Gdn. Richards), Winandermere (S. Donoghue), Apollo (B. Carslake), Grey Monarch (J. Childs), Hawk Eye (R. Perryman). (Winner trained by R. J. Collins.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Knighted, 3 to 1 Hawk Eye, 6 to 1 BELLACOSE, 8 to 1 Winandermere, 9 to 1 Flamenco, 10 to 1 Apollo, 100 to 8 each Strathcarron and Volcanus, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 31/-; places, 11/-, 9/6, 19/-.

Won by three-quarters of a length; a length and a half. Flamenco was fourth. Knighted fifth, Winandermere sixth, Commander III. seventh, Apollo eighth, and Grey Monarch last. Time—1 min. 9 4-5 secs.

4.0—GIRTON THREE Y.O. H'CAP of £451. 7 f.

Mr. F. Johnson's ch. f. GOOD DEAL, by Apelle —Weeds, 7-12 ..... S. Wragg 1

Mr. A. R. Cox's CHARMIAN, 7-13 ..... S. Donoghue 2

Lady Derby's LEGER DAY, 8-1 ..... T. Weston 3

Also ran—Subrosa (F. Fox), Hilla (R. Perryman), Maid of Africa (H. Wragg), Flying Shell (F. Lane), Sea Nymph (C. Richards), Baba Au Rhum (G. Richards), Seductive (K. Robertson), Springtime (D. Smith), Moving Picture (A. Richardson), Foxgrove (Humphrey Foster). (Winner trained by Winter.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Leger Day, 6 to 1 GOOD DEAL, 13 to 2 Moving Picture, 7 to 1 Subrosa, 9 to 1 Baba Au Rhum, 10 to 1 Hilla, 100 to 8 Flying Shell, 100 to 7 each Charmian and Foxgrove, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 20/9; places, 5/6, 6/3, 5/-.

Won by two lengths; a head. Moving Picture was fourth and Foxgrove last.

4.30—ROYSTON HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1 m.

Mr. F. White's ch. g. SHOVE HALFPENNY, by Knockando—Penny Rock, 5, 7-5 (car. 7-8) ..... G. Richards 1

Mr. S. Wootton's MILLROCK, 4, 8-9 ..... T. Hawcroft 2

Duke of Richmond and Gordon's GREY CAREY, 4, 8-5 ..... T. Lowrey 3

Also ran—Shrewton (W. Rickaby), Moidore (F. Lane), Popcorn (E. Smith), Winsome Prince (P. Evans), Quy (K. Robertson), Toxun (F. Fox), Norman Knight (A. Richardson). (Winner trained by Dutton.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Millrock, 100 to 30 Toxun, 8 to 1 SHOVE HALFPENNY, 10 to 1 each Grey Carey, Shrewton, Quy and Moid

CRICKET

BOWES IN FINE FORM

Easy Victories for Lancs, Notts and Gloucester

BOWES, Yorkshire's pace bowler, made a significant gesture to the English Test selectors when, at Colchester yesterday, he claimed seven Essex wickets for just over eight runs apiece. Bowling slightly below his usual speed, but with deadly accuracy, Bowes was always a menace to the batsmen. In three consecutive innings he has had the following figures—63 overs, 29 maidens, 93 runs, 23 wickets.

Due almost entirely to Bowes, and helped by brilliant fielding, especially in the slips, Yorkshire got rid of Essex in four hours for 150 runs. The Northerners thus led by 103, and when they went in again at half-past three they rapidly played themselves into a winning position. At the close of play they led by 329, with five wickets in hand.

Somerset put up quite a good show in the second day of their Bath fixture with the South Africans, forcing a lead on the first innings of 45. The outstanding figure in their batting was F. Lee, who, however, added only 12 to his overnight score of 74. Altogether he batted three hours, and hit five fours and one five. Later Wellard hit Langton for a glorious six, and also had three fours in his 29 in under half an hour.

The fact that the South Africans secured a lead of 222 with three wickets in hand was entirely due to Dalton and Nourse, who put on 122 in 86 minutes for the fourth wicket.

Lancashire, Gloucester and Notts had easy victories over Northants, Worcester and Leicester respectively; and in an exciting finish at Lord's Oxford University beat M.C.C. by five runs.

WORCESTER V. GLOUCESTER

At Worcester. Gloucester won by an innings and 117 runs. Score:—
GLOUCESTER—434 for 8, declared (Hammond 160).

WORCESTER.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Gibbons l.b.w. b Sinfield	3	l.b.w. b Sinfield	8
Bull c Hammond b Goddard	21	l.b.w. b Parker	43
Martin l.b.w. b Sinfield	0	c Hammond b Parker	33
Warne b Goddard	33	c Barnett b Goddard	70
S. W. Quaife b Goddard	0	c Stephens b Parker	17
Howorth l.b.w. b Goddard	0	c Neale b Parker	8
C. A. Humphries not out	11	st Smith b Goddard	35
G. C. Cox c. Hammond b Parker	2	b Sinfield	4
Perks l.b.w. b Parker	0	c Page b Sinfield	14
Oakley st Smith b Goddard	1	c Hammond b Sinfield	0
Jackson l.b.w b Parker	6	not out	0
Extras	4	Extras	4
Total	81	Total	236

Bowling—First Innings—Sinfield 2 for 35, Goddard 5 for 25, Parker 3 for 7. Second Innings—Goddard 5 for 53, Parker 4 for 65, Goddard, 2 for 62.

M.C.C. V. OXFORD UNIVERSITY

At Lord's. Oxford won by 5 runs. Score:—
OXFORD UNIVERSITY—First Innings, 184.
M.C.C.—First Innings, 134.
OXFORD UNIVERSITY—Second Innings.

J. W. Seamer b Read	21	D. F. Walker c Hearne b Sims	50
A. Benn c Hearne b Read	3	R. F. Darwall-Smith b Sims	3
P. C. de Saram b Lyttelton b Read	11	T. G. Ballance not out	3
N. S. Mitchell-Innes b Read	22	A. R. Legard b Baxter	3
R. O. Kimpton b Sims	36	M. M. Walford absent (hurt)	0
A. P. Singleton b Read	9	Extras	2
		Total	178

Bowling—Baxter 1 for 11, Read 5 for 28, Sims 3 for 75.

M.C.C.—Second Innings.

G. E. Abell c Ballance b Legard	0	Hon. C. J. Lyttelton b Legard	4
Fairservice st Simpson b Singleton	18	A. L. Hosie c Ballance b Legard	10
Hearne b Singleton	13	Baring b Legard	9
B. H. Lyon b Darwall-Smith	76	A. D. Baxter b Darwall-Smith	0
Rev. J. H. Parsons b Darwall-Smith	8	H. D. Read not out	0
Sims c de Saram b Legard	13	Extras	14
		Total	163

Bowling—Darwall-Smith 3 for 49, Legard 5 for 21, Singleton 2 for 44.

TRINITY'S GOOD WIN

Trinity had a good win over Bristol Optimists yesterday. Trinity batted first on a fast and true wicket, but they scored only 117. Martin was again top scorer, and he also bowled so well that the Bristol side was all out for 72, Martin taking 7 for 14. Score:—

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

C. R. Cuffe c and b Spencer	10	B. K. Fuge b Frost	3
J. C. Moore l.b.w. b Seaman	12	D. G. Moran not out	0
E. S. Barber b Seaman	20	G. K. Donald c Seaman b Frost	0
J. C. Martin c Spencer b Brown	40	I. E. Cope l.b.w. b Brown	2
C. W. Mellon l.b.w. b Spencer	9	D. G. Neill b Brown	2
J. W. Rice l.b.w. b Rogers	10	Extras	8
Bowling—Brown 3 for 12, Frost 2 for 2, Spencer 2 for 28.		Total	117

BRISTOL OPTIMISTS.

F. L. Pratten b Martin	0	F. M. Fry b Martin	7
N. Robins c Moore b Martin	13	F. S. Rogers l.b.w. b Cope	2
H. G. Pratten run out	2	W. H. Frost b Martin	0
H. W. Seaman c Donald b Cope	2	S. Spencer c Barber b Martin	0
J. W. Martin c Cuffe b Martin	3	J. L. Brown not out	2
W. G. Duke b Martin	2	Extras	—
Bowling—Cope 2 for 30, Martin 7 for 14.		Total	72

HEADLEY FOR BELFAST

George Headley, the West Indies player, who scored 270, not out, in the Test match against England at Kingston, Jamaica, last March, has accepted the invitation of the Northern Cricket Union to play in Belfast next Wednesday, and he will play for a side styled Headley and The Rest v. Province of Ulster.

SOMERSET V. SOUTH AFRICANS

At Bath. Score:—
SOUTH AFRICANS—First Innings, 173 (Wellard 4 for 61).
SOMERSET—First Innings.

Lee (J.) c Vincent b Tomlinson	29	Wellard b Crisp	29
Lee (F.) b Langton	86	Gimblett c Mitchell b Crisp	10
L. Hawkins b Langton	9	Andrews not out	35
S. G. Consdon c and b Langton	3	Luckes c Mitchell b Langton	16
E. F. Longrigg c Williams b Langton	2	Hazell c Mitchell b Langton	1
R. A. Ingle c Wellard b Crisp	14	Extras	4
T. N. Pearse b Bowes	28	Total	218
C. Bray c Turner b Verity	13		

Bowling—Bowes 7 for 58, Verity 1 for 5, Turner 2 for 34.

SOUTH AFRICANS—Second Innings.

I. J. Stedle c Wellard b Hazell	33	R. J. Williams c Luckes b Wellard	5
B. Mitchell c Luckes b Wellard	21	A. B. Langton b Andrews	12
E. A. Rowan c Luckes b Gimblett	6	C. L. Vincent not out	15
A. D. Nourse b Wellard	71	D. Tomlinson not out	14
E. L. Dalton c Longrigg b Wellard	78	Extras	8
		Total (7 wkts.)	267

GLAMORGAN V. HANTS

At Cardiff. Score:—
GLAMORGAN—First Innings, 460 for 8, declared (Duckfield 108, Smart 109).
HAMPSHIRE—First Innings.

Arnold l.b.w. b Glover	42	Hill st Brierley b Smart	7
M'Corkell b Glover	2	Dodd not out	6
Pothecary c Dyson b Glover	41	Budd b Clay	8
Mead l.b.w. b Clay	37	Herman run out	1
W. G. Lowndes run out	2	Extras	18
Crosse b Smart	53	Total	226
Lord Tennyson c Turnbull b Clay	9		

SECOND INNINGS—Arnold c Brierly b Glover, 1; McCorkell b Glover, 11; Pothecary not out, 16; Mead l.b.w. b Clay, 15; Hill not out, 10. Extras, 3. Total (3 wkts.), 56.

Bowling—First Innings—Glover 3 for 69, Clay 3 for 50, Smart 2 for 25.

LEICESTER V. NOTTS

At Loughborough. Notts won by an innings and 18 runs. Score:—
NOTTS, 284 (Haridstaff not out 123).
LEICESTER—First Innings, 113 (Larwood 4 for 60).
LEICESTER—Second Innings.

Watson c Butler b Staples	2	Astill c Larwood b Butler	2
Berry c Lilley b Staples	1	Geary c Butler b Marlow	26
Armstrong b Staples	0	Prentice c Lilley b Larwood	37
Butler c Lilley b Shipman	13	Smith not out	10
Larwood c Lilley b Coleman	12	Extras	24
Corrall c Keeton b Staples	5	Total	155

Bowling—Larwood 3 for 42, Butler 3 for 43, Staples 4 for 44.

ESSEX V. YORKS.

At Colchester. Score:—
YORKS—First Innings, 253 (A. B. Sellers 69; Nichols 4 for 64).
ESSEX—First Innings.

Cutmore l.b.w. b Bowes	0	J. W. Stephenson b Bowes	0
Sheffield c Wood b Bowes	33	Wade b Bowes	2
Nichols c and b Turner	2	Smith c Harbord b Bowes	27
O'Connor b Turner	10	Evans not out	10
Eastman b Bowes	17	Extras	7
T. N. Pearse b Bowes	28	Total	150
C. Bray c Turner b Verity	13		

Bowling—Bowes 7 for 58, Verity 1 for 5, Turner 2 for 34.

YORKS—Second Innings.

Mitchell c Nichols b Stephenson	36	Turner l.b.w. b Evans	8
Barber b Evans	73	Wood not out	33
A. B. Sellers b Evans	57	Extras	13
Leyland not out	33	Total (5 wkts.)	226
W. E. Harbord st Wade b Evans	0		

DERBY V. SURREY

At Chesterfield. Score:—
SURREY—First Innings, 430 (E. R. Holmes 206).
DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

Storer l.b.w. b Watts	18	Townsend (A.) l.b.w. b Watts	2
Smith b Gover	0	Pope (G.) b Whitfield	8
Alderman c Holmes b Whitfield	33	Pope (A.) l.b.w. b Watts	0
Worthington c and b Watts	107	Elliott not out	0
Townsend (L.) c and b Garland-Wells	34	Extras	24
Carrington b Watts	18	Total	244
W. Hill-Wood b Watts	0		

Bowling—Gover 1 for 44, Watts 6 for 74, Whitfield 2 for 18, G.-Wells 1 for 44.

SURREY—Second Innings.

Sandham l.b.w. b Pope (A.)	7	E. R. Holmes c Alderman b Townsend (L.)	23
Mobey b Pope (A.)	9	Brooks b Pope (A.)	1
Squires b Pope (A.)	2	Whitfield not out	0
H. M. Garland-Wells b Pope (A.)	0	Extras	2
Barling not out	46	Total (7 wkts.)	131
Fishlock run out	41		

KENT V. SUSSEX

At Tunbridge Wells. Score:—
SUSSEX—First Innings, 282 (H. Parks 85).
KENT—First Innings.

Ashdown c Parks (J.) b Tate	19	A. P. Chapman c Pearce b Cornford (J.)	57
Fagg c and b Langridge (Jas.)	65	Watt c Melville b Langridge (Jas.)	3
Woolley c Melville b Cornford (J.)	172	Wright b Parks (J.)	2
W. H. Levett b Cornford (J.)	29	Freeman c Langridge (Jas.) b Cornford (J.)	2
Todd l.b.w. b Tate	43	Lewis not out	0
J. W. Davies l.b.w. b Langridge (Jas.)	18	Extras	29
		Total	439

Bowling—Tate 2 for 98, Cornford (J.) 4 for 103, Langridge (Jas.) 3 for 103, Parks (J.) 1 for 98.

SUSSEX—Second Innings—Parks (J.) not out, 37; Cornford (W.) l.b.w. b Freeman 3; Melville not out, 35. Extras, 3. Total (1 wkt.), 78.

LANCS. V. NORTHANTS

At Manchester. Lancs won by an innings and 65 runs. Score:—
LANCASHIRE—First Innings, 287 for 8, declared (Paynter 97).
NORTHANTS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Bakewell c Oldfield b Phillipson	29	hit wkt. b Hopwood	64
Grimshaw c Pollard b Booth	3	l.b.w. b Booth	2
Bellamy c Oldfield b Booth	1	not out	16
Timms c Pollard b Phillipson	29	c Pollard b Phillipson	14
Cox b Hopwood	2	st Farrimond b Hopwood	20
G. Tebbitt c Farrimond b Booth	3	b Parkinson	7
A. W. Snowden not out	21	c Parkinson b Pollard	2
Partridge c Pollard b Hopwood	0	c Farrimond b Parkinson	0
Matthews l.b.w. b Hopwood	0	c Paynter b Parkinson	2
Clark b Phillipson	1	c Phillipson b Parkinson	1
Perkins c Booth b Phillipson	0	c Washbrook b Hopwood	1
Extras	2	Extras	2
Total	91	Total	131

Bowling—First Innings—Booth 3 for 34, Phillipson 4 for 11, Hopwood 3 for 23. Second Innings—Booth 1 for 23, Pollard 1 for 25, Phillipson 1 for 36, Hopwood 3 for 41, Parkinson 4 for 6.

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ATHLETICS

DONORE'S FIRST DEFEAT IN NOVICE LEAGUE

Dublin University H. and A.C. beat Donore Harriers in the Novice League competition in the College Park last evening by 19 points to 18. Trinity are so far undefeated, while it was Donore's first reverse. Some good times were recorded, and L. N. Horan won the shot with 39ft. 5ins. Details:—

100 Yards—G. W. Craigie (D.U.), 1; F. Newby (Donore), 2. Also ran—W. Ward and G. Malaghan (Donore). Won by two yards. Time—10 2-5 secs.

300 Yards—G. W. Craigie (D.U.), 1; F. Newby (D.U.), 2. Also ran—D. Ward and G. Malaghan (Donore). Won by two yards. Time—34 1-5 secs.

Half Mile—D. H. McNeill (D.U.), 1; R. H. Polden (D.U.), 2. Also ran—W. Spencer and P. Byrne (Donore). Won by ten yards. Time—2 mins. 7 3-5 secs.

Mile—D. H. McNeill (D.U.), 1; S. H. Polden (D.U.), 2. Also ran—R. A. Blackmore (D.U.), B. Byrne, J. Callan, and J. Doddy (Donore). Won by twenty yards. Time—4 mins. 34 3-5 secs.

Two Miles—J. H. Sides (D.U.), 1; J. Callan (Donore), 2. Also ran—L. D. Latham (D.U.) and J. Doddy and E. Saunders (Donore). Won by twenty yards. Time—10 mins. 54 4-5 secs.

High Jump—D. H. McNeill (D.U.), 4ft. 11in., 1; L. Cooling (Donore), 4ft. 10in., 2. Also competed—B. Foreman (Donore).

Long Jump—R. Collins (Donore), 18ft. 9¼in., 1; L. N. Horan (D.U.), 18ft. 6¼in., 2. Also competed—W. Ward (Donore) and H. J. Ryan (D.U.).

Hop, Step and Jump—C. Sheehan (Donore), 39ft. 3¼in., 1; R. Collins (Donore), 38ft. 10¼in., 2. Also competed—L. N. Horan and H. J. Ryan (D.U.).

Shot—L. N. Horan (D.U.), 39ft 9in., 1; G. Mallaghan (Donore), 28ft. 9in., 2. Also competed—C. Sheehan (Donore).

N.A.C.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR KILKENNY

Yesterday was the closing date for the national athletic and cycling championships, which were originally fixed for July 14th at Thurles. Trouble having arisen in connection with the venue, a meeting of the N.A.C.A. Standing Committee will be held to-night, when the newly-arranged venue—St. James's Park, Kilkenny—and the revised date, August 11th, will be ratified.

For every event, except the quarter-mile, 56lb. and javelin, all the holders have entered

E. BOYCE'S NEW RECORD

E. Boyce (twice broke his existing Northern Ireland long jump, at a sports meeting organised by the North Belfast Club, in Belfast, on Wednesday. Jumping 24ft. 2ins., he improved on his record by half an inch, and afterwards, in an exhibition jump, his effort was 24ft. 2¼ins. Had Boyce struck the same form at Hampden Park, Glasgow, last Saturday he would have been an easy winner in the long jump for Great Britain against Finland.

Five teams competed for the Divisional Shield. The winners were:—R.U.C., with 40 points; North Staffordshire Regiment were second, with 19 points, and Ulsterville third, with 12 points.

WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP TRIAL ABANDONED

The World Cycling Championship Trial, which was to be held in the Phœnix Park to-morrow, will not take place.

CELTIC C.C.

Owing to unforeseen circumstances making the necessary alterations in the arrangements for the Celtic C.C. Variable Gear Championship event impossible in the time available, it has been found impracticable to hold the championship on next Sunday. It will be run at a later date.

HANDBALL

GARDA CHAMPIONSHIPS

In the opening round of the Dépôt Division of the Garda All-Ireland Championships at the Dépôt yesterday E. Tobin, the Garda all-round athlete, gave a great display, beating P. Padian by 21-18, 17-21, and 21-18 in the Junior S.B. Championship.

Other results were:—Junior S.B.—M. Behan beat Sergeant Wallace, 15-21, 21-9, 21-11; J. O'Brien beat J. Shaughnessy, 21-16, 18-21, 21-12. Intermediate S.B.—J. Butler beat P. Quinlan, 21-11, 21-15, 21-10.

The finals will be played in Garda week.

For Programmes with Selections for Baldoyle, Phœnix Park and next week's English race meetings see to-morrow's issue of the "IRISH FIELD." (Advt.)

GOLF

THE JOHN LUMSDEN MEMORIAL CUP

THREE FORMER HOLDERS IN FIFTH ROUND

Cecil West continued to play fine golf in the Lumsden Memorial Cup at Dun Laoghaire. He beat T. A. Brindley by 4 and 3 in the fourth round last evening, and was five under fours when the match finished. He was out in 34, and turned 3 up. He won the tenth and twelfth for 5 up, but he lost the thirteenth. The winner's card for fifteen holes read:—

Out ..... 4 3 3 4 5 5 2 4 4 = 34
In ..... 2 4 4 4 4 3 = 21

Three previous winners in West, E. F. Kilduff, and J. G. Greene survived the round.

FOURTH ROUND.

E. F. Kilduff (Milltown) (3) beat F. G. Messervy (Dun Laoghaire) (7)—3 and 2.
C. H. West (Royal Dublin) (ser.) beat T. A. Brindley (Portmarnock) (9)—4 and 3.
D. E. Batchen (Milltown) (5) beat G. B. Butler (Castle) (7)—3 and 2.
J. G. Greene (Royal Dublin) (5) beat R. McConkey (Royal Dublin) (1)—1 up.
A. G. Anketell (Dun Laoghaire) (7) beat E. G. Morris (Milltown) (9)—2 and 1.
T. P. McKeever (Portmarnock) (7) beat T. D. Purcell (University College) (4)—4 and 3.
P. J. Kavanagh (Milltown) (9) beat L. V. Ryan (Portmarnock) (9)—4 and 2.
F. X. Kelly (Howth) (3) beat C. H. Warren (Portmarnock) (7)—3 and 2.

PROFESSIONALS AT KILLINEY

The annual invitation competition for professionals, given by the Killiney Club, was held yesterday. Twenty-nine took part. The scoring was better than was to be expected, as a high, changeable wind made the conditions difficult. W. Nolan, however, played the excellent golf for 73 to beat the par by a stroke.

In the evening the usual fourball, in which members of the club partnered a professional, was held, and in this Dr. J. H. Waterhouse and J. Ward had the best score over the re-constructed course—80. W. O'Brien, the Portmarnock assistant, holed his tee shot to the short eighth.

W. Nolan (Portmarnock)—73.
W. Kinsella (Skerries)—76.
P. J. Mahon (Royal Dublin)—76.
W. Holley (Castle)—76.
J. O'Neill (Howth)—78.
W. O'Brien (Portmarnock)—78.
J. Quinn (Clontarf), J. Ward (Greystones), P. O'Connor (Woodbrook), M. O'Neill (Stackstones), P. Sullivan (Bray), H. Bradshaw (Delgany), Rev. J. Barrett, sen. (Carrickmines), N. C. Wilson (Lucan), E. Bradshaw (Delgany), T. Barrett, jun. (Carrickmines), T. Gaffney (Killiney), J. Barrett, jun. (Grange), A. Whiston (Dun Laoghaire), T. Gaffney, sen., A. D. Baxter (Dun Laoghaire), Darwall-Smith (Milltown), H. D. Read (Dun Laoghaire), T. Shannon (Milltown), R. Martin (Newlands), K. McKenna (Rathfarnham).

Best first nine holes—J. Ward, 37. Best second nine—F. G. Bradshaw, 36.

Amateur Professional Fourball—Dr. J. H. Waterhouse (11) and A. J. Ward (Greystones), 8 up; J. N. O'Connor (13) and J. Sullivan (Bray), 6 up; R. Ross Todd (4) and W. Holley (Castle), 5 up.

McLEAN'S HARD FIGHT FOR HIS TITLE

Three times in succession Jack McLean (Hayston), the holder, has had to go to the nineteenth hole for his wins in the Scottish Amateur Championship on the old course at St. Andrews. After winning his first round match at the extra hole he also won his second and third round ties yesterday at the nineteenth.

Hector Thomson (Williamwood), Irish open amateur champion, scored two easy victories yesterday. He beat A. E. McLeod (Ranfurly) and T. Currie (Leven Thistle) by 6 and 5 and 5 and 4 respectively.

CLUB NOTICES

PORTMARNOCK.
Wednesday competition, July 3rd.—Result—T. A. Healy (2), 77; G. Y. Ryan (13), 77; M. Hennigan (4), 79; C. Stack (5), 81; F. W. Sharpe (13), 83.

MILLTOWN.
Ladies' Branch, July 8—Lady Granard four-ball, bogey. Draws 10, 10.30, 2.0, 2.15, 2.30, 3 o'clock. July 11—Prize presented by Mrs. Horne 18 holes, stroke. Two best in each class to play-off. July 22—Monthly medal, 18 holes, stroke.

MALAHIDE.
Monthly Cup—G. O'Neill (6), 70.

WOODBROOK.
To-morrow—Members' Challenge Cup (confined to members), 18 holes, stroke; first eight qualify for match. Final to be played on or before last Saturday in July.

ROSSLARE.
Ladies' Branch—Captain's (Mrs. N. J. Kelly) prize—Won by Miss D. Pearson (19), 69; Miss Kearon (24), 71; Miss Meares, O'Keefe (25), 71. Best gross, Miss Stafford, 87.

WOODBROOK.
Ladies' Branch—Challenge Cup—Won by Mrs. Downes (outright). July medal—Won by Mrs. Hayden (35), 79. Tuesday, 9th July—Mr. Lawler's prize. Draws 11 a.m., 5.15, 6.15.

HERMITAGE.
Wednesday Cup Final—E. Byrne (15), 63; M. G. Byrne (7), 70; R. G. Duggan (4), 72; J. P. Byrne (3), 74. To-morrow—Saturday Cup.

Ladies' Branch—Mr. Gerrard's prize—Miss Perry (10), 77; Mrs. C. O'Sullivan (19), 77; Miss M. Cormack (22), 77. Miss Perry won, and Miss Cormack second on second nine. July 9—"Miss Hannon Cup" (holder, Miss O'Connor), 18 holes, strokes, in two classes. Winner in each class to play off by match play.

RATHFARNHAM.
Ladies' Branch—Granard Cup—Mrs. G. Bryan (28) and Miss Blue (29), 9 up. Miss Baldwin (15) and Miss Hogan (16), 6 up. June Box—Best nett—Mrs. McAteer (25), 73; best gross, Miss Drury (10), 92 (44 on 2nd 9); Mrs. Yeates (B), 93 (45 on 2nd 9). July 9—Medal, bogey. Committee meeting 1.45 p.m.

DELGANY.
Ladies' Branch—Mr. McDowell's prize (captain). —Miss Fitzgibbon beat Miss O'Mara, 4 and 3; Mrs. Beattie beat Mrs. Melson, 7 and 6; Mrs. Stephens w.o., Miss Deverell scratched; Mrs. Macan w.o., Mrs. O'Rourke scratched; Mrs. Beattie beat Miss Fitzgibbon, 3 and 2; Mrs. Macan beat Mrs. Stephens, 1 up; Mrs. Beattie beat Mrs. Macan, 7 and 6. Medal—Mrs. J. Walsh (28), 67; Mrs. Goode (24), 72. Tuesday next—Mrs. Cussen's prize, flag competition. Usual draws.

CARLOW.
Sunday next—Ladies' captain's prize; draws. 11 a.m., 3.30. 6.0. Irish Sugar Manufacturing Company's Golfing Society, 10 a.m.

SUTTON.
Ladies' Section—July medal—Class I.—Miss Roche, 73; Mrs. Butler, 73; Miss Roche beat 2nd 9 holes. Class II.—Miss S. Sibley, 71; Mrs. O'Rourke, 71. Miss Sibley beat 2nd 9 holes. Prize presented by Captain of Club (Mr. F. Summerfield), Tuesday, 9th July. Draws 10.15, 2.30, 5.30, 6.30.

DONABATE.
To-morrow—Nine holes celeclic (10 to 18); play-off from 2.30 to 3.15. July 7—Mixed foursomes; draw 6.30 p.m.

ROYAL DUBLIN.
Dollymount spoon—J. Thwaytes (6), 6 up; C. McCarron (8), 2 up; P. Thwaytes (16), 1 up; A. J. Elmes (9), 1 down; W. R. Macnie (6), 3 down; A. E. Prentice (10), 3 down. To-morrow—President's prize, monthly medals, and Lumsden putter (9 holes).

ORANGE.
Ladies' open foursomes—Mrs. Smith, Carrickmines, and Miss Creery, Grange (12), 1 down; Mrs. Power, Milltown, and Mrs. Rose, Grange (9), 2 down; Miss Buckley, Milltown, and Mrs. Waters, Grange (16), 3 down. To-morrow—Semi-open mixed foursomes; strokes. Members permitted to play as partners.

CASTLE.
Ladies.—Captain's (Mr. A. K. Austin) prize. Result of tie—1st, Mrs. Young; 2nd, Mrs. E. Briscoe. July 8th—Medal, bogey.

WOODBROOK.
To-morrow—Monthly medal, bogey.

SWIMMING

TRINITY'S ENGLISH TOUR

On Wednesday night the Dublin University Swimming Club, continuing their tour in England, put up their best performance so far in running the Otters S.C. to eight goals to four. Though they lost by four goals, the result by no means represented the play, as Trinity had as much of it as the Otters.

In the first half Trinity, playing into the deep end, were oon three goals down. Haswell scored the first for the home team, and Newbolt followed with two more. Trinity rallied, and Boyle scored, following a pass by Kearns. Dockrell had a great goal shortly afterwards, and Boyle levelled the scores. At half time each side had scored three goals.

In the second half the Otters scored through Haswell, Shaw and Smidt (two). After Haswell scored, Boyle had to leave the water through cramp, and a member of the Otters, very sportingly, left the water with him. During this period Fletcher scored the best goal of the match for Trinity. Macnamara took Mitchell's place in goal for Trinity.

CLUB FIXTURES AND RESULTS

Pembroke (ladies)—To-night, at 6 o'clock sharp, junior and senior diving.

Sandycove—400 metres handicap—J. Forde, 1; E. Byrne and L. O'Brien dead-heated. Eight competed. 7 mins. 26 secs. 50 metres championship —J. Fallon, 1; L. O'Brien, 2; M. Kelly, 3. Five competed. 32 2-5 secs. Boys' 50 metre handicap—J. Brennan, 1; E. Byrne, 2; G. Tyndall, 3. Four competed. 45 3-5 secs.

BOWLING

COMPETITION RESULTS

Sixsmith Cup (2nd Round)—Kenilworth (G. W. Cooper) 23, Clontarf (John Brown) 17.

Marper Cup (2nd Round)—R. J. Waddell (Blackrock) 21, J. A. Boyd (Clontarf) 20; T. Fisher (Imperial Tobacco) 21, D. Doherty (St. James's Gate) 18; F. Cullen (St. James's Gate) 21, J. Kehoe (St. James's Gate) 17; J. Humphreys (Clontarf) 21, J. Teggin (Imperial Tobacco) 8.

LAWN TENNIS.

AMERICAN VICTORIES

Mrs. Moody and Miss Jacobs to Meet in Women's Final

THE battle of the Helens, interrupted at Forest Hills four years ago, will be continued at the Wimbledon Championships to-morrow, when Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody meets Miss Helen Jacobs in an All-American women's singles final. In the American final of 1933 Miss Jacobs won the championship when Mrs. Wills-Moody had to retire with a strained back at set-all and Miss Jacobs leading three-love in the final set. Yesterday the two Americans won their semi-final matches, Mrs. Wills-Moody beating Miss Joan Hartigan, the Australian champion and conqueror of Miss Dorothy Round, 6-3, 6-3, and Miss Jacobs beating Mrs. B. Sperling, of Denmark, 6-3, 6-0.

Mrs. Wills-Moody played brilliant lawn tennis to vanquish Miss Hartigan, revealing fighting qualities which completely routed the Australian girl. Miss Hartigan, in the semi-final for the second successive year, did not play badly, but once she lost control of her backhand the foundation of her game was destroyed. So long as she could find the corners with that stroke she possessed a chance of winning.

She led 3-1 in the first set, and Mrs. Wills-Moody was striving for points against a barrage of deep shots which too often eluded her racket. Had Miss Hartigan maintained this form she might have proceeded to a set lead, but her backhand became less reliable at the very time when it should have increased in effectiveness. Not another game after the fourth could Miss Hartigan win in the first set. The American increased the pace of her driving. Striking a late ball always with a flat racket, she swept the court with a range and variety of strokes in an attack to which her opponent could not reply.

A FIGHTING EFFORT

Miss Hartigan promised a revival of Australian fortunes when she captured the first three games of the second set. This was a splendid effort on the part of a player who had not been allowed time to do anything but defend in the latter part of the opening set. At this stage it was the turn of Mrs Moody to overhit the sidelines, but just when a third set seemed imminent Miss Hartigan's control deserted her. Attacked on her forehand, she faltered. In a desperate effort to hold on to her hardly-won lead she tried to pass her opponent down the backhand line. Shot after shot went out of court by inches, but that margin meant points to Mrs. Wills-Moody.

By beating Mrs. Sperling, Miss Jacobs avenged her defeat in the final of this year's French championship. Miss Jacobs was in arrears only once—at 1-2 in the first set. She was pulled back to 3 all after leading in the fifth game, but thereafter nine consecutive games fell to her subtleties. There is not a stroke which Miss Jacobs does not possess, and she has acquired to a real degree the art of conserving her energies.

Mrs. Sperling has no pretensions to *finesse*. She hits the ball with a plain racket on both hands, and depends for her success on the mistakes of her opponent. That she has found this a remunerative policy is proved by the fact that until yesterday she had not dropped a set either on grass or hard courts in the last twelve months. The Danish player, however, never discovered an adequate counter to the slicing and cutting of the American.

When she could prevail upon Miss Jacobs to join in driving rallies on the backhand she was happy for the Californian girl used no spin on that stroke, and the ball in consequence possessed fewer difficulties in handling. But Miss Jacobs was too experienced in courtcraft to submit to such dictation. She cut everything short on the forehand, and brought into play a heavy slice from the back of the court. Mrs. Sperling had nothing to offer against this, and although her fleetness of foot prolonged many rallies her defeat always was a certainty.

Results:—

WOMEN'S SINGLES.
Holder—Miss D. E. Round.
SEMI-FINAL.
Mrs. F. S. Moody (U.S.A.) beat Miss J. Hartigan (Australia)—6-3, 6-3.
Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. S. Sperling (Denmark)—6-3, 6-0.

MEN'S DOUBLES.
Holders—G. M. Lott and L. R. Stoefen.
FOURTH ROUND.
W. Allison and J. Van Ryn beat M. Bertram and W. Musgrove—6-1, 10-8, 6-2.
G. P. Hughes and C. R. D. Tuckey beat E. D. Andrews and S. L. Rogers—6-3, 6-2, 6-3.
D. Budge and G. Mako beat E. Maier and S. B. Wood—6-3, 6-4, 7-9, 3-6, 6-3.
J. H. Crawford and A. K. Quist beat M. Bernard and C. Boussus—6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.
Holders—Mme. R. Mathieu and Miss Ryan.
FOURTH ROUND.
Miss K. Stammers and Miss F. James beat Miss J. Jedrzejowska and Miss S. Noel—6-3, 6-3.
Mrs. R. E. Haylock and Mrs. J. S. Kirk beat Miss E. M. Dearman and Miss N. M. Lyle—2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

MIXED DOUBLES.
Holders—R. Miki and Miss D. E. Round.
FOURTH ROUND (Concluded).
H. C. Hopman and Mrs. H. C. Hopman beat H. W. Austin and Miss A. M. Yorke—11-9, 4-6, 6-2.
C. E. Malfroy and Miss M. Heeley beat M. Bertram and Miss J. Jedrzejowska beat C. F. Aeschliman and Miss G. A. Clarke-Jervoise—6-2, 6-2.
V. B. McGrath and Miss J. Hartigan beat H. Nishimura and Miss S. Noel—6-3, 6-4.

FIFTH ROUND.
G. von Cramm and Mrs. S. Sperling beat D. P. Turnbull and Miss L. Valerio—6-4, 3-6, 6-1.
H. C. Hopman and Mrs. Hopman beat F. H. D. Wilde and Miss K. E. Stammers—2-6, 6-4, 9-7.
F. J. Perry and Miss D. E. Round beat C. E. Malfroy and Miss Heeley—7-9, 6-3, 6-1.

IRISH CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING OPENS

The Irish championship meeting commenced at Fitzwilliam yesterday. A qualifying competition is being held in the men's singles prior to the start of the competition proper, and this and the handicap singles events occupied yesterday's programme. The only unexpected result was the defeat of R. F. Egan, who plays third on the Lansdowne first team, by his club-mate, G. P. Regan, who is on the second team. A strong wind made conditions very unpleasant for the players, but the full programme was carried through. Results:—

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP (Qualifying)—First Round.
H. Collins beat F. R. Stearn—6-1, 9-7.
B. X. Egan beat G. D. Millett—6-2, 7-5.
F. Kenny beat S. Stein—6-3, 6-3.
S. Scroope beat R. W. Tunney—6-3, 6-0.
E. H. Barry beat P. J. "Reynolds"—6-1, 6-4.
Second Round.
R. G. Brown beat R. F. Jones—6-2, 6-1.
J. C. Tonge beat M. A. Tennam—6-4, 6-4.
G. P. Regan beat R. F. Egan—6-3, 1-6, 6-4.
H. Kennedy beat P. Fitzsimons—6-4, 4-6, 6-4.
A. H. "Parnell" beat G. Steen—6-1, 6-3.

MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES—First Round.
G. O. Travers (3) beat K. King (15.3)—6-4, 6-3.
B. P. Burney (15) beat G. C. Dockeray (15)—3-6, 6-1, 9-7.
J. W. Tunney (4) beat A. H. Porter (15.1)—6-3, 6-3.
H. Linehan (15) beat P. D. Byrne (2)—6-3, 6-4.
F. G. Hunt (15) beat S. Stein (15)—10-8, 7-5.
W. Dawson (3) beat G. P. Regan (minus 1)—7-5, 6-8, 6-4.
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